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INSIDE

Attempt to block sale of Cardoza property

BY NICHOLAS BIEBER
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Northampton Borough Council is seeking an injunction to block the sale of ex-Northampton Town chairman David Cardoza's unfinished house.

The authority is trying to stop the sale of David and his wife Christina's mansion in Golf Lane, Chapel Brampton.

The couple had planned to build a six-bedroom home, worth over £1 million, complete with an indoor pool, tennis court, games room and cinema.

But the council is blocking the sale as part of its pursuit of £10.25 million loaned to the Cobblers while Mr Cardoza was chairman.

A council spokesperson said: "We intend to find out what happened (to the £10.25m) and to recover the public money that has not been repaid."

The matter will be heard at High Court in Birmingham today at 10.30am.

Bus parade for Cobblers

The champions of League Two Northampton Town will celebrate their promotion with an open top bus parade next week.

Jubilant fans will be able to cheer on the victorious Cobblers when the squad rolls into the town centre on the bus on Sunday, May 8.

The parade will set off from Sixfields at 4pm, head down the Weedon Road, past the railway station, up into Marefair and across Horsemarket and into Gold Street and Mercer's Row, performing a lap of All Saints before moving up the Drapery.

The buses - including one which will carry the club staff - will then perform two laps of the Market Square before pausing outside Starbucks for speeches and then moving on past All Saints again and into George Row and then St Giles Square before heading into the Guildhall for a civic reception.

■ More details online.

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Entry to the awards is free and you can enter up to three categories.

For the purposes of this event small and medium sized enterprises is anything with up to 250 staff.

"We are delighted to be on board," said H&P Editor Steve Scoles.

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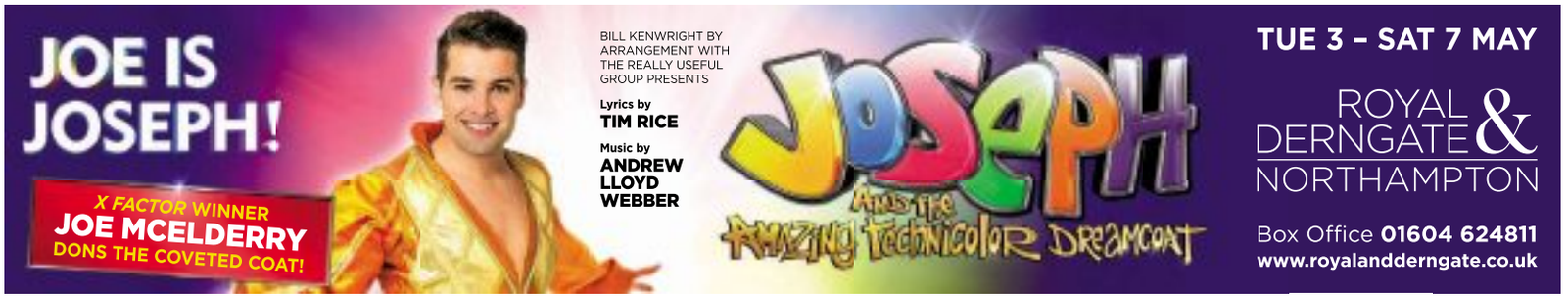

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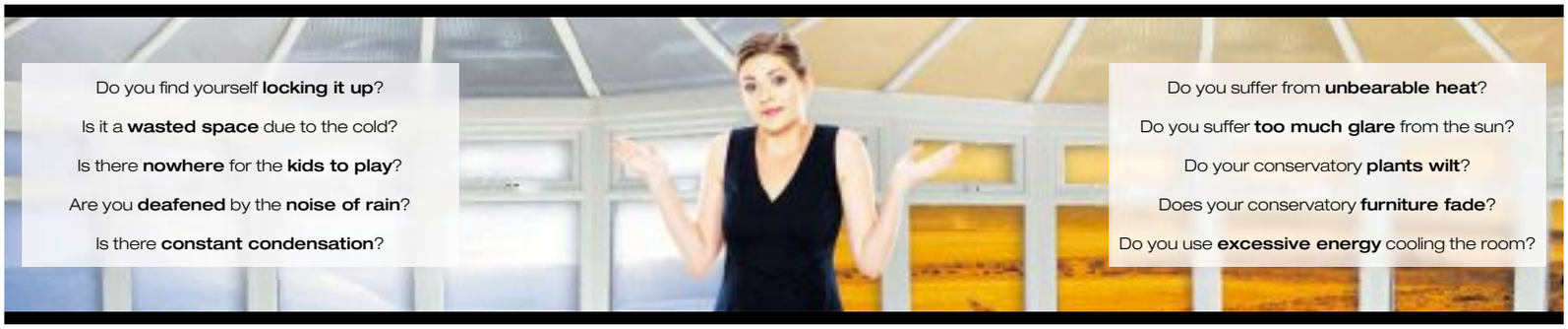

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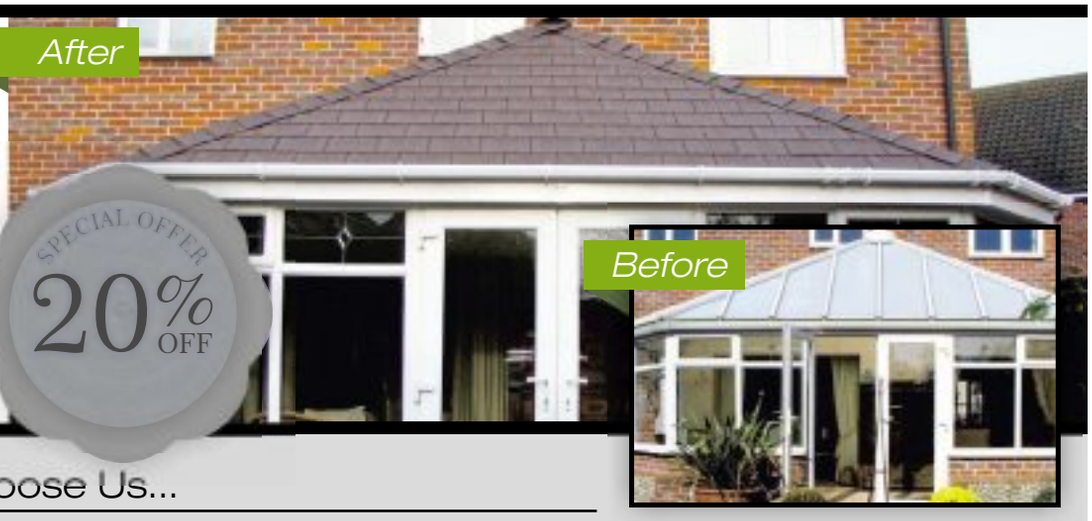

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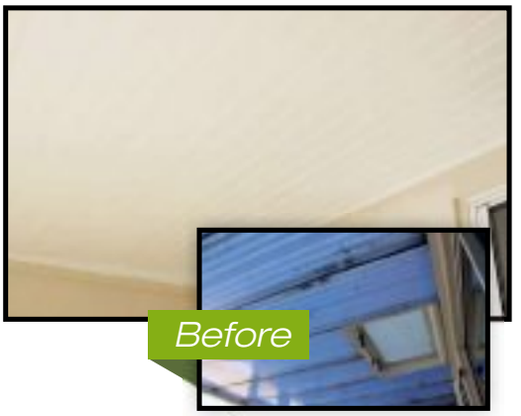

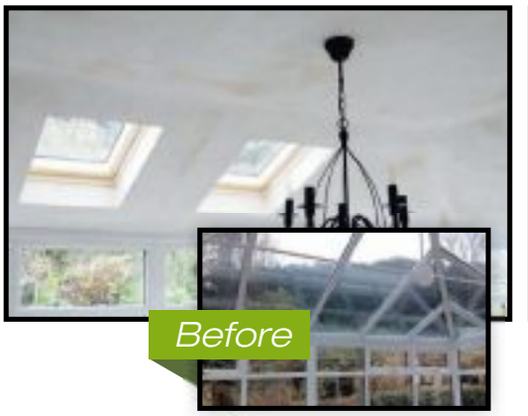

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#Snapjustice knows everyone has got an excuse and they all stink.

This week is a light hearted #Snapjustice.

This was a rather mud splattered and in need of repair Range Rover which was spotted at the Silverstone Race Circuit on Wednesday. It looks for all the world like someone has taken it out for the day and then dumped it at the world famous circuit.

But all is not as it appears.

This Range Rover will be restored during the Silverstone Classic from July 29-31 using all parts sourced on eBay. You can your Snapjusice pics to us via Facebook at NorthantsHeraldPost, or on Twitter at @NorthamptonUK or email us at news@hpnorthants.co.uk.

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text 2 text

This week's Txt 2 Txt is with Leigh Wolmarans, head teacher at Lings Primary School in Northampton

Where is your favourite spot in the world?

At a beach with big waves you can surf. Or riding on rides at DisneyWorld

If Leigh was a drink what drink would he be?

A creative mixture of many other drinks that would hopefully make people a bit happier about themselves

What is your favourite sandwich?

It would have to be a really big bacon on soft white bread sandwich

Are you superstitious?

No. There are so many superstitions that I could never keep up

What song makes you cry or gets you emotional?

With or Without You by U2 or Don't You Forget About Me by Simple Minds

What are your favourite pair of shoes and why?

My Asics Gel Kayano's - like walking on air! I also love my Doc Martens

What was the name of your teddy bear when you were a child?

I didn't have a teddy but I remember I had a faded old blanket I used to carry around called GAGA

What is the one thing you have lost and want back?

My fitness! I definitely need to get as fit as I was five years ago

Editor's Letter

Hillsborough leaves us hoping the world is a better place

There have been some attempts to explain Hillsborough to the younger members of the Scoles clan this week.

There have been those casual half-interested inquiries children make when they don't notice they are learning something.

"What was Hillsborough about?" and so on along a trail of innocent questions that followed the obvious route through the facts: "why didn't they help them?" and "why has it taken so long?"

It's amazing how quickly it gets hard to answer those questions.

You are very conscious of every word shaping their world view.

It's a measure of the true scale of the damage done by the disaster and by the attempts to cover it up. It is already making the next generation question their trust of the forces of law and order.

The idea of any attempt at a cover up must seem ludicrous to young football fans who see the archive news footage and are used to a world where it would be everywhere instantly.

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There was no social media at the time to force the undeniable truth in front of people, share expertise in minutes and be asking the right questions within hours.

It is hard to imagine, with the wide open entertainment venues that are modern stadiums, the frisson of danger that surrounded any visit to a football match back then.

The ebb and flow of the crowds was part of it. Confrontations were part of it.

No-one envisaged the horror of the Hillsborough disaster before it happened, and no-one wanted it to happen, but it can be understood in terms of crowd control mistakes and poor stadium design.

It's so much harder to understand the senseless cruelty of the cover up, the paper thin lies and the additional hurt inflicted on the families of victims and survivors.

Let us hope the world is a better place now.

Steve Scoles

NEWS IN BRIEF

BHS jobs risk

Dozens of workers at BHS stores in Northampton face an uncertain future after the retailer confirmed this week it has gone into administration.

The town has two BHS stores - one in Abington St, and the other at St James' Retail Park.

Suspicious man

A 59-year-old man was arrested last Sunday after police received reports of him grabbing at women and touching them inappropriately along the Drapery in Northampton town centre. He was bailed pending further enquiries.

Man identified

Police were appealing for the public's help yesterday to identify an unknown man who died on Monday, shortly after being found collapsed in Well Street, Finedon. Police later identified him and informed his next of kin.

Beep and run

A horse rider suffered a deep cut to her leg when she was thrown into a hedge from her horse after a driver deliberately beeped his horn as he sped passed her on Saturday. The woman was riding in Weston, South Northants.

Nintendo theft

Thousands of pounds of Nintendo games were stolen from a lorry that was parked overnight on April 14 at the A14 services in Thrapston. The offender(s) cut the lorry's side curtain, while the driver slept, and stole the games.

'Ian, I propose . . .a wedding!'

BY LAWRENCE JOHN
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Hitched: Theresa Leadbetter, 58, and Ian Wood, 70

A couple who have been together for 40 years have got married, and it was the bride who had proposed to the groom.

Theresa Leadbetter, 58, and Ian Wood, 70, from Whilton, tied the knot last Thursday at noon at Northampton's Guildhall, 40 years to the day they first met at a nightclub in Loughborough.

And it was Theresa who proposed to Ian in their kitchen on February 29 - a leap year when tradition says a woman can propose to a man.

She said: "I decided to propose as it was a leap year and the 40th anniversary of the year we first met.

"I asked Ian if he realised what day it was? He said Monday, I said yes, but this was the date when we first met 40 years ago and I asked him to marry me.

"So last Thursday we had a quiet intimate ceremony with eight friends and family with us.

"I think having a small group with us did make it special."

As a married couple they walked out of the Guildhall to Frankie Valli and the Four Seasons singing Oh What a Night - the song which had been their first dance all those years ago.

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Pupils growing NASA space seeds

Students at Kingsley Primary School are taking part in a NASA project to grow seeds from space.

They are studying what the difference is between growing seeds which have been kept on earth and seeds which have been in space.

One packet of seeds were sent up in a rocket to the International Space Station where British astronaut Tim Peake (*pictured*) was sent.

But the pupils do not know which packet of seeds is which.

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Top lecturer

An engineering lecturer from Northampton College who has helped develop careers in the motorsport industry has been shortlisted for a Lecturer of the Year award.

Neil Tobin has worked in education for 10 years,

College cuts

Twenty-two teaching staff at Tresham College of Further and Higher Education in Northamptonshire face being made redundant along with sixth form courses being axed.

Staff were advised of the proposed changes last week.

Two businessmen make rich list

Lawrence John finds out more about two county businessmen who are in the Asian Rich List

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ASIAN RICH LIST: Nadir Lalani (centre)

Two Northamptonshire-based companies have helped propel two businessmen into this year's Midlands Asian Rich List.

Both Anil Aggarwal, who is a director of Barker Shoes in Earls Barton, and Nadir Lalani, whose family are behind the 99p Stores Ltd, have made the honours.

Mr Aggarwal, 55, is worth £370 million and was named number three in the list.

He has a reputation as a low-key figure and is not to be mistaken with his namesake in India who founded the Vedanta mining firm.

But Mr Aggarwal seems to let his track record do the talking. The businessman is a director of Barker Shoes, a firm which was established in 1880. He joined the board of the historic manufacturing company in 2005.

He founded iEnergizer, a back-office service company in Uttar Pradesh, northern India, that floated on the Alternative Investment Market after being founded in 2010.

It employs more than 12,000 employees and operates in six continents.

Sara Latham, a former adviser to former US president Bill Clinton and former-British prime minister Tony Blair, is chairwoman of the company.

Mr Aggarwal was appointed as interim executive director of iEnergizer Ltd in September last year.

He served as the chief executive officer of iEnergizer Limited until 2014 where he was primarily responsible for business development, strategy and overall growth.

Mr Lalani is worth £45m and is number 20 in the list.

His family is behind the 99p stores chain and had seen it grow at a phenomenal rate since its inception in 2001 in Holloway, north London.

In 2014, the family sold 99p stores to Poundland for £55m; that deal has been revised slightly since late last year as the company was not making money in its final year of trading under the Lalanis.

The deal added 251 shops to Poundland's existing number of around 600.

Nevertheless, the rise of 99p was hugely impressive under Nadir, the patriarch and founder of the original business, and his sons, who drove the business forward with imagination and verve.

Nadir came to Britain in 1973 from Tanzania and built up a convenience store chain which was later sold to Tesco.

In 2005, he sold another chain - the 27-strong Whistlestop Discount Stores group and focused on 99p Stores and Family Bargains.

Former Asian Business Awards winners, the Lalanis put their success down to the economic levelling caused by the recession as every income group looked to save money and see what bargains it could secure.

Top 5 The county's oldest shoemakers

A top five of the oldest shoemaking companies in Northamptonshire. All still in business.

1. Tricker's, St Michael's Road, Northampton, making shoes since 1829

2. Grenson, Crown Way, Rushden, making shoes since 1866

3. Crockett & Jones, Perry Street, Northampton, making shoes since 1869

4. Church's, St James Road, Northampton, making shoes since 1873

5. Barker, Station Road, Earls Barton, making shoes since 1880

Police op snares 100 bad drivers

BY NICHOLAS BIEBER
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One hundred drivers were stopped in just three hours during a police operation on a busy road.

Officers pulled over motorists on the A4500 Wellingborough Road in Westone, Northampton, last Friday as part of a crackdown on 'fatal four' offences - which include speeding, drink-driving, misuse of mobile phones while driving and failing to use seatbelts.

During the operation 100 drivers were stopped and spoken to for a number of reasons including failing to wear a seatbelt, reaching speeds as high as 41mph in a 30mph zone and texting while driving. One particular driver was found to be speeding, using his mobile phone and failing to wear a seatbelt.

STOP: Cops speak to motorists

Some drivers were also spoken to about vehicle defects.

In total, officers spoke to 76 drivers about speeding, eight for mobile phone use or other distractions, 14 for failing to wear a seatbelt and two for a combination of these.

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Locally Cloudy2Clear service the Northampton, Kettering, Wellingborough & Corby areas and manager Trevor Skidmore agrees that this approach is a major factor in his success. 'The truth is that it's not just the personal satisfaction that I get from doing a good job but also it makes good business sense. I get a huge amount of business from friends and family of people I've done work for, which just goes to show how much a little bit of effort is appreciated as both my customers and, obviously a body as nationally important as Which? now recognise.'

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Tony Clarke

Playlist with the Northampton Green Party member

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I was a fundraiser with the ANC. It was about the struggle against apartied in South Africa

UB40
One in Ten
Leaving school in 1979 I remember the hopelessness felt by many in Thatcher's Britain

Tony Clarke
Landslide
Takes me back to my time in Northern Soul and references my own 'Landslide' in 1997

Billie Holiday
Strange Fruit
Haunting. A reminder of how close we stand to the past inhumanity to his fellow man

Slade
How Does it Feel
Reason? Does there have to be one? Other than Noddy Holder's unique vocals.

Labour leader lends his support

Selfie help

Leader of the Labour party, Jeremy Corbyn, is supporting Northampton's Ron Todd Foundation.

The charity was set up by Community Court Yard and the family of the union leader to celebrate his legacy and continue his work in creating a better world, through social education projects. Mr Corbin will speak at next year's Ron Todd Lecture in Northampton.

Bianca Todd, trustee of the Foundation, said: "It was great to meet Jeremy at the CWU conference, and talk about the work of the foundation."

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NEWS IN BRIEF

Just champion

Pitsford School's brand new £2 million Sports Centre will be officially opened by Colin Jackson, World Champion athlete, tomorrow.

Colin is a 110m hurdle Olympic silver medalist and double World Champion.

Puppy trade

Trading Standards in Northamptonshire is reminding people who are thinking of buying a dog to be cautious about illegally imported puppies.

It found a beagle puppy which was in the UK illegally.

Lambs killed

Three lambs died after they were chased and attacked by a large dog in a field near St Johns Lane, Cranford.

Police received reports of the incident which happened between 7.30am and 8am on Sunday,.

Need a hero

Made in Corby is searching for local talent to take centre stage for the new family friendly musical Danny Hero!

For full details on the auditions, character roles, playing ages etc go to www.madeincorby.eventbrite.com

Better health

The county's new Health and Wellbeing Strategy for the next four years has been launched.

Called 'Supporting Northamptonshire to Flourish', the strategy will cover 2016 to 2020.

Station mural

Visitors at Northampton Railway Station will now be welcomed by an array of new art installations promoting the county's rich history. Among them is a 27 metre-long mural detailing the timeline of events in Northants.

Good causes

Northampton Borough Council has allocated £550,000 to support local agencies, charities and community groups that help people in the town. The council has awarded funding to 29 organisations in total.

Celeb's praise

Former Apprentice star James Hill said students at Northampton College have 'extremely bright futures' after he held a masterclass on business during the inaugural Skills Fest.

Full story online.

INSTA-MAZING: The Welsh soprano wore a dress from a Northampton brand on TV

Katherine Jenkins causes drama for brand

A Northampton-based online womenswear brand has experienced yet another one of its busiest days ever after Katherine Jenkins posted a picture of herself wearing one of their designs - just weeks after presenter Holly Willoughby did the same.

Cecily, based in Abington and run by best friends Louise and Sarah, experienced a flurry of orders for its blue Victoria dress after the Welsh soprano posted a picture of her wearing it on Instagram on Monday.

The singer had been appearing on the BBC Breakfast Show, and shared a picture of her kicking her feet up after the interview, as well as another one of her with the presenters.

And within minutes of sharing the images, which racked up over 1,000 likes, Cecily experienced a sudden spike in traffic on its websites, as ladies scrambled to snap up the £150 dress.

Alice English, a spokesman for Cecily, said: "We were so thrilled when we saw the pictures.

"We are so proud that such successful, talented women are choosing to wear our dresses!"

Social services 'has improved'

BY NICHOLAS BIEBER
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Children's services in Northamptonshire have 'improved across all areas' and are no longer rated inadequate, an Ofsted report has revealed, enabling the department to split off into a mutual trust within a year.

Yesterday the county's under-fire children's services climbed out of its inadequate Ofsted rating from 2013, with a new report rating it as 'requires improvements to be good', while noting it has 'improvements across all areas'.

Had the children's services - which was put into special measures after the previous report - failed to gain this rating, then the Government would have stepped in to take over the department.

However, the 41-page Ofsted report reveals that despite improvements, more must be made - especially to reduce the 43 per cent of 500 plus social workers drafted in from agencies.

Also among the 17 recommendations made is to ensure all children identified as 'in need' benefit from 'timely, regular and thorough assessments of their needs'.

It also states the department needs to strengthen arrangements for children who go missing, increase the availability and range of local placements and improve the response to homelessness for 16 to 18 year olds.

As for improvements made, it noted 'services have improved across all areas of the child's journey', and a 'substantial' amount of work has been done to improve support for looked after children.

But the improvements come at a cost, with £62m having been injected into the department in the past three years - £3m short of the total of savings the entire authority needs to make in 2016/17.

But Alex Hopkins, the director of children's services, said: "I'm not sure we are going to need anything of the same kind of scale. . .I'd hope the resources we have now is sufficient, looking into future years."

As a result of the improved rating, Mr Hopkins said plans will now go ahead to move the children's services over to a new council-owned trust, which would be completed by April next year.

He said the trust would offer more attractive contracts to bring in permanent staff, thus addressing the Ofsted recommendation to reduce the amount of agency staff.

Reflecting on the result, Mr Hopkins added: "While an important milestone, this does not mark the end of our improvement journey and we will continue to improve and deliver services for children and young people that we can all be proud of."

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Boasting impressive décor and food the Imli has come far from the traditional Indian restaurant.

COMMERCIAL FEATURE

First impressions include the illuminated ramp, a massive glass window exposing the highly detailed and impressive décor of the restaurant, you can't help but notice the Impala sitting proudly on the bar top almost greeting customers.

The brown and cream leathers on the seats compliment the ruby red on the walls. The restaurant is impeccably clean and boasts a 5* hygiene rating. The restaurant is without a doubt the ideal venue for both large parties and families as they can cater upto 80 customers.

Imli is happy to provide bespoke food and drinks menu for parties and welcomes all types of occasions. The menu contains unusual and exotic dishes such as Venison, which is just as tender as well cooked lamb! There are also dishes with Duck and Crab from their seafood selection.

Saf, the owner of Imli whom has taken over since the passing of his Father few years ago now, says that 'People may think they don't care for spicy food, but so much Indian food is not hot at all. Very few of our dishes use chilli and most spices add flavour rather than heat. We're always happy to recommend something milder for those who are unsure and, of course, we can add more heat if those that prefer their curries hot.'

Saf mentions that they have a very popular Special Wednesday Banquet which offers Starter, Main dish, Side between two and a Rice or Naan bread each for only £10,95! This gives diners the opportunity to try different dishes for great value midweek.

Every Sunday lunch from 12noon there is a buffet laid out and diners help themselves. Customers are allowed to EAT AS MUCH AS THEY LIKE for only £8,95 and £4,95 for children. With a wide range of tastes, healthier options and good value banquet and buffets to choose from, Imli is the perfect place for all the family.

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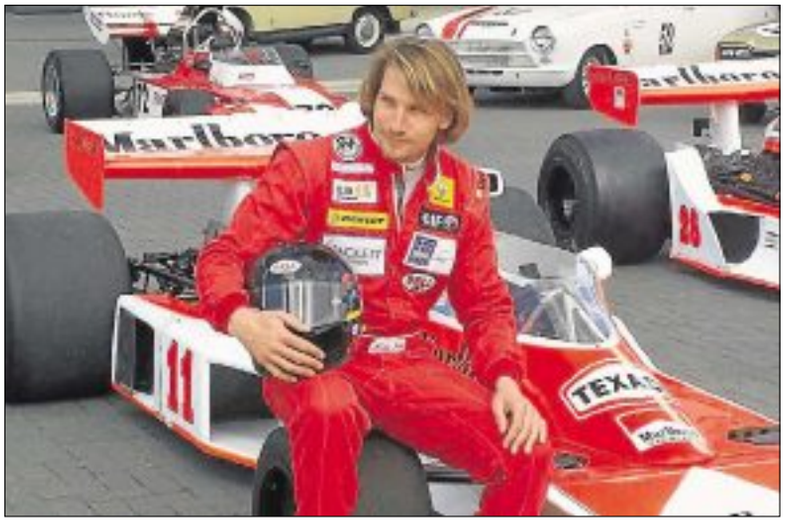

MOTORSPORT HISTORY: Freddie Hunt, son of James Hunt, will be taking part in the July festival

Silverstone gears up for classic festival

The Silverstone Classic is set to celebrate a number of motorsport anniversaries.

One of the celebrations near the top of the list will be James Hunt winning the F1 World Championship in 1976 in Japan.

At a media day yesterday, his son Freddie Hunt, who will be competing in the event, spoke about his dad.

The team manager of McLaren in 1976, Alastair Caldwell, also spoke about that famous day when James was crowned F1 World Champion.

A collection of Hunt's cars will be on display at the Silverstone Classic which runs from July 29-31. The event is the biggest and best in the world for seeing historic and classic cars.

And organisers are promising it will be one of the best ever with back-to-back racing each day and music in the evening.

Among those taking to the stage will be the Boomtown Rats, The Stranglers and Reef.

Tickets for the three day event at the world famous racing circuit are on sale now.

You can find full details of the cost and what will be on offer at the Silverstone Classic online at www.silverstoneclassic

Election for new PCC days away

BY LAWRENCE JOHN
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Northamptonshire will go to the polls on Thursday, May 5 to elect a new Police and Crime Commissioner (PCC).

The final list of candidates standing in the county are:

■**Kevin McKeever (Labour):** Mr McKeever, who is a qualified lawyer, previously stood as a candidate to try to become Member of Parliament for Northampton South in the 2015 General Election

■ **Stephen Mold (Conservative):** Local businessman and father-of-three Mr Mold has been nominated as the party's PCC candidate because the present PCC Adam Simmonds (Conservative) is not standing for re-election

■**Sam Watts (UKIP):** Mr Watts, who is the director of his own company and a former Police Constable with the Metropolitan Police, has more than 10 years' experience within the security industry.

On the day of the election a large number of people will cast their vote at a polling station.

The location of your polling station will be on your polling card.

You do not need to take the polling card with you in order to vote.

At the polling station a member of staff will give you a ballot paper with a list of candidates and parties on it and all you have to do is put a cross in the box next to the ones you want to vote for.

If you have applied for a postal vote then you should have received your ballot papers in the post.

You should complete and return them by 10am on May 5.

If you have a specific, long-term reason why you can't vote in person, such as a disability or being overseas, you can apply for someone to vote for you.

If you are incapacitated or taken ill, you can apply to vote by proxy for medical reasons up until 5pm on polling day.

Full details are on the Electoral Commission website.

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Artists expressing feelings about Northampton

15 Collingwood will be opening its doors on May 1 for an exhibition by local artists called 'Northampton Proud?'.

More than 20 contributors will be expressing their feelings, good or bad, about the town in which we live.

The artists are:
David Boyes
Sue Came
Viv Dixon
Simon Doughty
Wendy Doughty
Livia Fallarino
Andy Feltham
Jane Mitchell-Finch
Paul Greco
Luke Harby
Julia Harrold
Iain Hodgkinson
John Holt
Nathan Jones
Kat Lendacka
Gary Mills
Node
Minnie Teckman
Helen Turton
Sherelee Weber
Jane Warwick

15 Collingwood Road is open from 10am to 5pm on Saturday.

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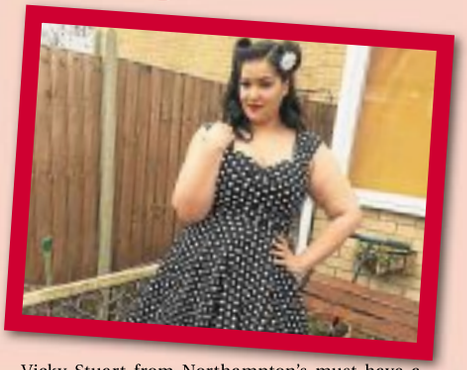
Pretty dress



Vicky Stuart from Northampton's must have a pretty dress, saying: "Not only are dresses a perfect outfit for any occasion, they also make me feel confident and different styles help me prepare for different situations. I love the fact dresses build communities and of course give me lots of material to blog about. Most of all I love when other women message me telling me they have found the perfect dress and how beautiful it makes them feel."

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@KazShakespeare

Welcome to our regular feature where we invite people to tell us who and why we should follow on Twitter. Tweet us @NorthamptonUK and you will see the best ones here.

Kevin Evans, via @asmallmind, tweeted: "I suggest following @KazShakespeare for serious legal tweets, silly tweets, and the occasional pigeon."

To catch up with all the latest news and sports in Northants, you can visit our website at www.northampton-news-hp.co.uk. You can also follow us on Twitter at @NorthamptonUK or Facebook at NorthantsHeraldPost.

BLOGGER OF THE WEEK
Too precious to lose

Caroline Scattergood

Caroline is a campaigner for Tibet and helps to run the Caring and Sharing Trust at Cogenhoe

Because Tibet is too Precious to Lose. So raise your flag.

These were words sung by singer songwriter Lee James Billington at the third annual event of 'Raising the Tibetan Flag' at the Japanese Peace Temple in Milton Keynes on Sunday, April 17.

In light of the horrific damages and loss of life in the city of Kumamoto, Japan recently by massive earthquakes it was humbling to watch as Sister Maruta, protector of the Peace Temple, welcomed us all – putting her own pain and loss aside and as always she was a bright RAY OF SUNSHINE in her yellow and white robes.

The event was arranged and hosted by my dear friend Catherine Mostyn Scott. We all appreciate what a challenge it is yet she found time to bake Tibetan flag cakes and yummy they were too.

Catherine graciously welcomed the Mayor of Milton Keynes, Cllr Keith McLean, whose words were uplifting and true.

We were all warmed by Catherine's son-in-law, Kunchok Nyima, his words taking us to the very heart of precious Tibet's soul.

The final words came from the Dalai Lama's Representative, Chonpel Tsering, making us all feel we were connected to the Spiritual Leader of Tibet.

The flag was blessed before being raised by a Tibetan 'Lama Rinzin' whose chanting was healing. As the flag flew in all its glory and freedom volunteers walked around Willen Lakes with flags and dogs to attract attention for Tibet.

Back to the words of Lee James Billington 'Raise your flag. Let's Stand for peace and truth'. His words remind me of the writings of a great Japanese teacher The Most Venerable Nichidatsu Fujii – in 1973 he said non-violence or peace cannot be fostered through Politics or arms but only through spiritual cultivation and training of the mind. Peace will prevail in the world when we no longer kill or take from others.

In Milton Keynes we witnessed a gathering of reverence to all beings and world peace. Let's all put our hands together and bow in respect of all who made this day possible. Our life on this earth is fleeting. So let's make it our mission to make peace happen – one brave step at a time.

Tibet and Japan united.

Your views

Councillor calls for referendum on St James power plant

A planning application for the proposed St James Waste-to-Energy Plant, which would tower over Northampton, will be submitted at a full Northamptonshire County Council meeting in June.

But a Labour councillor who is against the idea, will be submitting a motion at the meeting calling for independent information and a referendum on the plan.

Labour County Councillor Gareth Eales (*pictured*), said: "With the meeting being in June, it may well cause some people anxiety, as concerned residents will think they are losing valuable time to have their say.

"However, June will allow the planning application to be submitted and the all the details of it to be analysed.

"There is then time for the ever-growing community opposition to this proposed plant, to organise and get significant numbers of speakers to attend that full council and address it, giving their views to councillors. Equally residents that may be in favour of the plant can also have their say.

"Furthermore, it allows the public consultation to commence and for the resident anticipated ineptitude that will show to be exposed by the terms of this motion.

"The critical points the motion calls for are a form of referendum, independent information sharing and a commitment that no final planning hearing (provisionally looking like October) should be scheduled until the terms of the motion has been fulfilled. Rolton Kilbride has previously made some clear commitments to the local community about respecting resident views and being transparent - they now have to effectively deliver on those commitments, so the baton is now well and truly with them."

And here's the latest thoughts from one of our readers after we posted a story showing an image of what the plant would look like:

CESSIE WAYMAN: . . .as for the new illustration on your article, making the whole prospect 'prettier', that's crap, and that chimney is nothing like as tall as it'll be in real life. And what about the hundreds of lorries full of waste going in & out all day & night!
The risks of fire & explosion. . .honestly the mind boggles that anyone can think this is the right sort of industry to build on that site.

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Lunchtime Life

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TARGET: Spencer Football Club

At risk club's fifth break-in

BY LAWRENCE JOHN
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A football club whose future is hanging in the balance has been left in despair after being ransacked by burglars again.

Northampton Spencer Football Club was broken into for the fifth time in two weeks last Wednesday, April 20.

On its Facebook page the club, which is based in Studland Road, Kingsthorpe, posted: "We are devastated to announce the club house was broken into and completely smashed to pieces.

"From an attempt to flood the bar, pulling the roof tiles down, ruining the kitchen, smashing as many windows as they could and more.

"We cannot believe that someone would do this to a club which has nearly 80 years of history and is due to close its doors at the end of the season.

"However, this is the fifth break in we have had in the past two weeks.

"We decided to keep quiet about the wreckage and move on, but enough is enough.

"If anyone has any information about this, or knows who is doing it, was ask that you please come forward.

"Words truly escape us and we hope that we can end the season in one piece."

On April 2 the club said its future was in doubt as the outgoing chairman Graham Wrighting and other long serving committee members were standing down at the end of the season.

Any parties interested in taking on the chairman's role or joining the club committee should contact Mr Wrighting on 07711 465485.

AIR AMBULANCE MISSION REPORT

Week ending April 24

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Medical - Collapse

Tuesday
2x RTC
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Other
Cardiac arrest

Wednesday
Other
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Cardiac arrest
RTC - Car

Thursday
RTC
Industrial
Other

Friday
2x RTC
Other

Saturday
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Other
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Cardiac arrest

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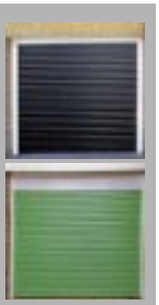

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PICKET LINE: A group of junior doctors formed a picket line outside Northampton General Hospital

Striking doctors cause disruption

BY NICHOLAS BIEBER
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Scores of junior doctors in the county joined thousands of their colleagues across England in walking out on Tuesday and Wednesday in the first all-out strike in the NHS's history.

Dozens of junior doctors walked out of both routine and emergency care at Northampton General Hospital (NGH) and Kettering General Hospital (KGH) from 8am to 5pm on both days, in the latest row over new contracts.

The strike, which was also being carried out over issues including levels of care in the NHS and Saturday premium pay, led to widespread disruption as hundreds of appointments and operations were cancelled.

At NGH, 349 outpatient appointments and 46 procedures for inpatient and day patients had to be cancelled.

Meanwhile at KGH, 442 outpatient appointments and 200 routine operations were also cancelled.

Fortunately, consultants and other medical staff at both hospitals continued to work throughout the strike.

But one junior doctor who formed part of the picket line outside NGH on Tuesday said the strike action was still worthwhile.

GP Malik Mordi said: "We are striking today because the Government has called for seven day services but not given us any indication of how they are going to resource it. Currently resources are stretched and if we are going to spread our junior doctors over seven days we are going to open up gaps in the service which is going to result in more patient harm."

At KGH the picket line of doctors told how the walk out was not just about contracts, but a battle to save the NHS and keep it free for all.

Tom Ankers said: "I think you have to look at the bigger picture. We are trying to protect the NHS. From our perspective we are facing a shortage of doctors and we are not being supported by the government. It was with a very heavy heart I decided to strike, but we can only hope the health secretary comes to the negotiating table."

The case of. . .being driven to the edge by aspiration

Lawrence John

To find more blogs and video diaries from Northants Herald & Post journalist Lawrence John visit our website. @LawrenceJohnHP

Inspiration is said to be nine tenths perspiration but what is aspiration?

If it could be bottled then aspiration would be the most toxic substance around.

While it means well, it is the lunatic driver in the fast lane on the M1 doing 120mph with 10 whisky chasers in it before 10am.

The next time someone says: 'Oh he/she is driven to success by their aspiration' then you know what they are talking about.

We all aspire, but there at the back of it all is the green eyed, bug eyed cycloptic monster waiting to get out.

It wants, needs and craves things. Better things than the Joneses, better things than our friends and the cost, well there is no price too high or too wide to pay. The trouble is you need cash, cold hard currency to get ahead, to feed the aspirational monster.

You could go to a pawn shop. I have seen Pawn Stars on the History channel.

When a seller takes an item to be pawned and the pawn star knows what it is but does not know the exact price they always say: 'I have got a friend who can tell you what it is worth If you don't mind them taking a look at it'.

I have thought about this and my answer would be: 'So you're gonna get your friend to give you a friendly price eh? The price only a friend could serve up. What is friendly for you is set to become something wet and windy for me'. This is where the director would shout cut and utter: 'You can't say that, this isn't going to make good television'. You see even a director aspires to a quality programme even it is at the cheaper end of the kaleidoscope.

Each generation has aspired to get the latest improvements to make life better but the 21st century is the most gadget aspirational in history.

It makes those who aspire to get the latest upgrades or the newest and shiniest toy in the box to be no better than a mini Gordon Gekko whose mantra was 'Greed is good'.

For me I am left thinking The Beatles were right when they said: 'Yesterday, all my troubles seemed so far away, now it looks as though they're here to stay, Oh I believe in yesterday. . .'

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Renovation of a

BY LAWRENCE JOHN
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Delapre Abbey is having a makeover.

And its Preservation Trust has been introduced to the aims of the renovation project currently taking place and what the future looks like for the Abbey.

As well as being a top heritage attraction for Northamptonshire, Delapre Abbey will be an exemplar learning space, a memorable place for weddings, and have a high quality suite of meeting rooms available for businesses to hire.

This newspaper was able to see the progress for themselves as the group was taken on a tour and even given the opportunity to have a go at creating a wood graining effect in the library.

The responses from the representatives from the different groups were positive, reflecting on 'how fantastic the building will be on completion', the 'amazing work of the conservators' in restoring the rooms, and the type of 'varied facility' it will be for the community and beyond.

In regard to the restoration work, the new café and kitchen is well underway. These facilities will provide a whole range of refreshments for visitors to the park with the catering open for everyone to enjoy.

Specialists are working in the South Range rooms restoring, cleaning and reimagining the late 19th century opulence of the time of John Augustus Shiel Bouverie.

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UPGRADE: The renovation work currently taking place at Delapre Abbey is to improve it for future generations. Right, the cafe under construction

colours of paintings and recreating lincrusta panels in the Billiard room.

There is so much happening each day, and every new step in the progression towards completion builds excitement to when the Abbey will open to the public. Faye Morrissey, assistant community engagement officer said, "It is a truly remarkable building and the Trust is keen to build relationships with local media and the local community."

To find out more about the restoration and how you can get involved, visit Delapre Abbey on the open weekend – Saturday, May 14 and Sunday, May 15, 11am-4pm.

For more information contact Delapre Abbey Preservation Trust on 01604 760817 or email info@delapreabbey.org

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The science of having fun

Pupils from eight Northamptonshire schools visited the UK's largest indoor urban sports park for a science day with a difference.

The University of Northampton and Aim Higher Northants took over Adrenaline Alley, in Corby, last Wednesday for its Adrenaline Science day, which saw 64 pupils aged 10 to 12 take part in a series of science, technology, engineering, arts and maths (STEAM) workshops.

The science of scooters and BMX tricks were just some of the demonstrations taking place which aimed to explain the subjects to the children in a fun way.

Solstice 100 is back this June

The Solstice 100 mountain bike sportive is returning in June with additional routes for riders of varying abilities.

Last year H&P Editor Steve Scoles took part in the inaugural run from The Pomfret Arms in Northampton on a course that took in Bedford, Woburn, Milton Keynes and Salcey Forest before returning to Northampton.

He said: "It was great fun, with various obstacles along the way providing challenges for the riders. I managed 80 miles which I was quite pleased with for a first effort. I'm planning to do the 50 miler this time."

For more details go to: www.mtbepicsuk.co.uk/events/

Sponsor Steve

On May 18 H&P Editor Steve Scoles will set out on the Cynthia Spencer London 2 Paris bike ride with four days to reach the capital of France, 300 miles.

This is the first phase: training and fundraising.

To sponsor his ride text CSLP90 £1 to 70070 or find his page on JustGiving.

Women's Tour teams revealed

PEDAL POWER: Riders get cycling in a previous Tour

BY NICHOLAS BIEBER
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The world's top 10 professional cycling teams will head to Northamptonshire this summer when the Aviva Women's Tour rides through the county, it was announced on Tuesday, marking 50 days to go until the race gets underway.

The first stage of the big cycling event starts in Suffolk on Wednesday, June 15 with the final stage taking place in Northamptonshire on Sunday, June 19 - crossing from Northampton to Kettering.

And, from the latest UCI rankings, all of the world's top 10 teams will be taking part - led by number one ranked side Wiggle HIGH5 and the Boels Dolmans team of UCI Women's WorldTour leader Lizzie Armitstead.

In total 14 of the world's top 17 teams will be on the start line in Southwold, Suffolk, and among the other high-profile teams racing will be Rabo Liv, who won the 2014 edition of the race with Marianne Vos.

Other top teams include Canyon SRAM with defending champion Lisa Brennauer and a Great Britain national team as they continue their preparations for the 2016 Olympic Games in Rio de Janeiro.

They will be joined by a third British team, the domestic Drops Cycling Team, who have been newly formed for 2016 and will be making their Women's Tour debut.

Another three teams will be making their first appearance; Astana, BTC City Ljubljana and Cylance Pro Cycling.

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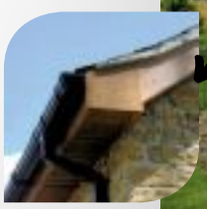
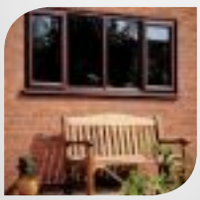

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Put your business in

BY STEVE SCOLES
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Entries are open for the SME Northamptonshire Business Awards 2016.

The H&P is offering £8,000 of advertising as part of the prize package for the awards which aim to recognise the hard work and industry of the county's achievers.

A ceremony at The Guildhall in Northampton on Tuesday saw Northampton Borough Council's Cllr Tim Hadland inviting Northamptonshire's businesses to get involved.

Cllr Hadland, cabinet member for regeneration, enterprise and planning, said: 'Northampton Alive is changing the face of our town, and the Northampton Waterside Enterprise Zone has provided so many new opportunities.

'Most of the town's recent success is down to its businesses, and their excellence is something we're delighted to be able to recognise through these awards.

'Figures just releases by Centre for Cities showed that Northampton is second in the UK for business start-ups, behind only London, which demonstrates our enterprising spirit.

'And that's why we've chosen to sponsor the Northampton Business of the Year and Entrepreneur of the Year awards.'

The SME Northamptonshire Business Awards are open to all sole traders and businesses of up to 250 staff in the region who commenced business before January 2014, or for new businesses who started after January 2014.

Entry is free and there are up to 15 categories. Businesses can enter up to three categories and all applications must be submitted online.

Awards guru Damian Cummins said 'Our awards stretch from Liverpool to Buckinghamshire, with quite a few stops in between, including London and Surrey. The Events and PR team relocated to the Northamptonshire region 18

the awards spotlight

OPEN FOR ENTRIES: The SME Business Awards launch at Northampton Guildhall T. L-R Julie Barnes-Ward from Business Times, John Socha of the FSB and Martin Wall from Stanair

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months ago and we feel it makes sense to do, what we do best in the region we work.'

'Awards really are a hidden marketing gem, as well as the opportunity to go networking with other winners, awards offer a great PR prize to those businesses shortlisted.'

For more details and to enter the awards go to: www.northamptonshireawards.co.uk

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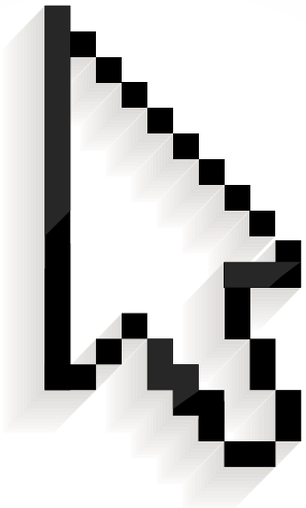

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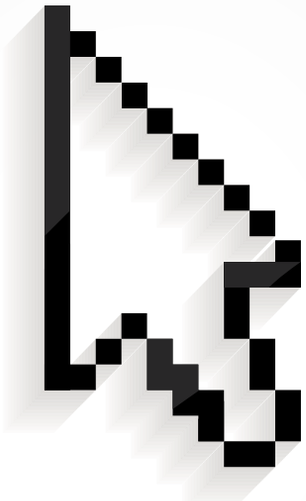

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Pre-teen victim of revenge porn

BY LAWRENCE JOHN
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Girls as young 12-years-old and women as old as 47-years-old have been victims in Northamptonshire of revenge porn.

Revenge porn refers to the act of an ex- partner or current partner who purposefully distributed images or videos of a sexual nature without the other person's consent or knowledge.

In April, 2015, it became an offence to share private sexual photographs or films without the subject's consent. Social media including Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, Snapchat and Whatsapp have been used to distributed these videos or images.

Cyber stalking or adult digital abuse can take the form of identity theft, tracking software, vandalism, harassment, solicitation for sex, threats, defamation/slander and using the internet to commit fraud. Between April 2015 and March 2016, of the 31 stalking offences reported to police, 13 of these were cyber stalking offences. In 10 of these offences the victims were female. Three offences related to male victims.

RISKS: Det Supt Steve Lingley, Head of Crime and Safeguarding

Last year, Northamptonshire Police launched a pioneering approach to tackle cyber stalking and online abuse.

Detective Superintendent Steve Lingley, Head of Crime and Safeguarding, said: "The risk of becoming a victim of online crime is now greater than ever and online stalking is one of those risks.

"We are committed to safeguarding victims whether that is on the streets or online. "Through the hard work of the Cyber Crime Unit we have developed our digital capability to protect those who are most at risk by helping to prevent them from becoming victims of cyber stalking and where necessary bringing offenders to justice."

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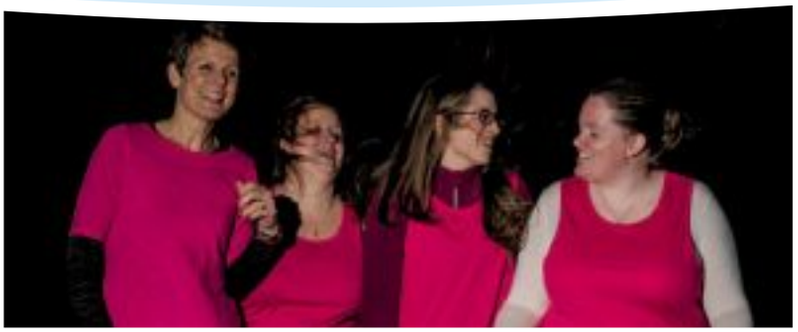

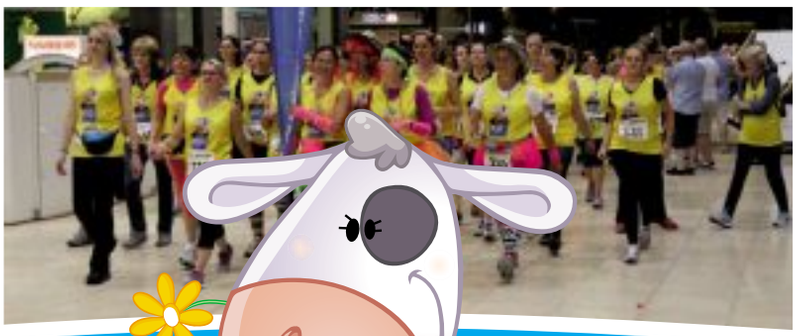

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PROPERTY NEWS

Thursday, April 28, 2016

Stunning, spacious and stylish family home

High Street, Great Houghton
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Situated in the heart of this popular Northamptonshire village is this impressive contemporary six bedroom detached family home that has been remodelled and extended by the current owners to an impeccable standard.

The property is situated on an elevated plot with the accommodation set over three floors making this a spacious and stylish family home.

The ground floor has an impressive open plan lounge/kitchen/family room that's perfect for entertaining with a centre island, underfloor heating and full width custom made aluminium sliding doors that open onto the rear garden and countryside beyond.

The worktops are granite with an array of fitted 'Siemens' appliances and stainless steel extractor with recessed mood lighting.

The lounge area has a gas feature fireplace with bespoke warm tiled surround. Adjacent to the kitchen is the utility room, cloakroom and access to the garage with electric door.

The first floor comprises five bedrooms with a recently re-fitted family bathroom and further double width shower room and the master having en-suite bathroom and stunning views.

The second floor has a further bedroom which is extra insulated making it an ideal cinema room.

Outside the rear garden has a tiled patio area with a decked pathway leading to the games room which could make an excellent office or studio. Electric gated entry allows access to the ample off-road parking and garage to the front aspect.

Your next property could be a page turn away!

PROPERTY TALK

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Where Eliot wrote verse

TS Eliot is one of poetry's biggest hitters who's had a huge cultural impact. His Old Possum's Book of Practical Cats inspired mega musical Cats, the TS Eliot Prize is Britain's biggest poetry competition and a few years back, Eliot topped an online BBC poll to find the Nation's Favourite Poet.

US-born Thomas Stearns Eliot settled here in 1915 and worked as a schoolteacher before joining the publishers Faber and Faber where he promoted home-grown poets including W.H. Auden, Stephen Spender and Ted Hughes.

His notoriously unhappy first marriage to Vivien Haigh-Wood was said to have inspired The Waste Land, one of the 20th century's greatest poems. After her death, Eliot moved to Kensington Court Gardens in 1957 with second wife Valerie Fletcher, a secretary at Faber and Faber.

The marriage was criticised not only because it was kept a secret from everyone but her parents, but at the time Eliot was 68 and his bride only 30. A heavy smoker, Eliot lived in the building until he died in 1965, where his widow remained until her death in 2012.

On the market for £5.75m, the five-bedroom mansion house apartment is one of the largest lateral flats in the area, stretching into the building next door. Although boasting a grand formal reception room with ornate fireplace, along with an informal reception room and bedrooms with high ceilings and large windows, it could do with a complete overhaul.

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Rural retreat of a rock legend

DURING the 1980s Ronnie Lane, bass player and founding member of the 1960s super band Small Faces, developed multiple sclerosis. But despite being broke and unable to earn a living, his celebrity pals rallied around him.

In 1983 Eric Clapton, Jeff Beck, Jimmy Page and members of the Rolling Stones got together to hold special charity concerts. And in 1996 an album, A Tribute to the Small Faces: Long Agos and Worlds Apart, featuring Paul Weller, Primal Scream, the Buzzcocks and Ocean Colour Scene raised £50,000 for Lane. However, he ended up living in poverty in Texas and died a year later aged 51.

Lane wrote classic hits including Lazy Sunday and Itchycoo Park. He went on to form the Faces, belting out the hit Stay With Me with Rod Stewart.

After moving to a farm on the Welsh borders, Lane enjoyed visits from his rock and roll friends, and locals remember impromptu performances in pubs with Eric Clapton, Keith Richards, Mick Jagger and Bill Wyman. There are also stories of Elton John and Lemmy from Motorhead travelling down to use Lane's recording studio.

His 1976 album One For The Road featured a panoramic photograph of his house which, although now looking somewhat different to the picture, is up for sale at £350,000 and needs a makeover.

The three-bedroom stone cottage in Hyssington, near Shrewsbury, has a lounge, kitchen/diner, pantry, conservatory, stables, garden with orchard, paddock and separate outbuilding that once housed the recording studio.

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Kate's not-so-Titanic house

Multi-award-winning actress Kate Winslet regularly picks up awards and accolades and rarely gets a bad review.

The A-lister, who most recently scooped the Best Supporting Actress BAFTA for her part in Steve Jobs, is currently in New York filming Collateral Beauty with Helen Mirren and Will Smith.

However, she's not universally popular and ruffled conservationists' feathers after she and husband Ned Rocknroll relocated from New York to live permanently on the West Sussex coast with her three children.

The couple bought a Grade II-listed, eight-bedroom house for £3.25m and fell out with Natural England who feared her plans for a 600ft barrier to shield the 17th-century house from storms and high tides in West Wittering would destroy wildlife habitat.

The actress experienced similar friction from neighbours of her previous home in Treyford, Chichester, where she was forced to withdraw an application to build a set of wooden gates.

Winslet's first forays into property came after making her name in the blockbuster Titanic back in 1998, when the then 22-year-old used £200,000 of her growing fortune to buy this three-bedroom getaway in Angarrack, a 20-minute drive from St Ives.

She and first husband Jim Threapleton would spend weekends there with baby daughter Mia but sold it in 2001 for a £50,000 profit after splitting up. It's now got a £400,000 price-tag.

The Japanese-inspired holiday home is set over three floors with a double-height open plan kitchen/dining/living room downstairs.

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Live above Notting Hill bookshop

MOCKED by some hard-hearted critics, the film Notting Hill is undoubtedly a bit cheesy but was the highest grossing British film of 1999.

Audiences lapped up the rom-com's on-off relationship between famous actress Anna (Julia Roberts) and tongue-tied William (Hugh Grant,) a lonely divorced bloke who shares his house with a wacky Welshman called Spike – the role which made Rhys Ifans a star.

They fall in love after the Hollywood A-lister wanders into his independent travel bookshop, and ends with her tear-jerking proclamation: "I'm just a girl, standing in front of a boy, asking him to love her." Naturally, they live happily ever after, and a final montage sees them sitting cosily on a park bench, awaiting the birth of their child.

Richard Curtis penned the story after visiting The Notting Hill Bookshop in Blenheim Crescent, just off the capital's Portobello Road. Although none of the blockbuster was shot in either the shop or flat above, filmmakers used it to inspire

set-building and plenty of tourists still take selfies outside.

Sarah Anderson is moving out after living above the shop for 35 years – she sold the business in the 1990s before the film was made, but continued to run it for the new owners until 2005.

Her upper floor maisonette with its own private entrance boasts high ceilings and large windows. The master bedroom is on the top floor, along with a large bathroom and access to a terrace with views over Notting Hill. It's on the market for £1.495m.

www.marshandparsons.co.uk, 0207 313 2890

Home to a controversial critic

PASSIONATE modern poetry pioneer Ezra Pound helped discover and publish several literary heavyweights including, most famously, Ernest Hemingway.

As foreign editor of American literary magazines, the expatriate American built a reputation as a literary reviewer and critic with views that wouldn't be out of place today; after the First World War, Pound believed that international capitalism was causing global conflict. However, his publicly pro-fascist sympathies didn't do him any favours and he ended up backing Italian dictator Benito Mussolini. Pound recorded hundreds of radio broadcasts for Rome Radio, praising Mussolini, criticising the US, and claiming that the war was the result of a Jewish conspiracy.

He was arrested and held in a

US army prison camp before being declared insane and unfit to stand trial in 1945. A campaign by his fellow writers finally saw his release nearly 13 years later, and he returned to live in Italy until his death in 1972.

Pound's best-known works include Ripostes and the unfinished epic, The Cantos, and he got a lot of inspiration for his poems while living in London – from 1908 to 1920 – making an impression as a flamboyant character who walked around in a sombrero and large earrings.

He spent some of the time at this end-of-terrace Victorian house in quiet courtyard, Kensington Church Walk, where there's a blue plaque. All three bedrooms are en-suite with underfloor heating throughout. The open plan dining room has a glass roof while there's also a large terrace and off street parking at the front. It's on the market for £4.3m.

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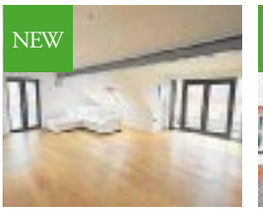

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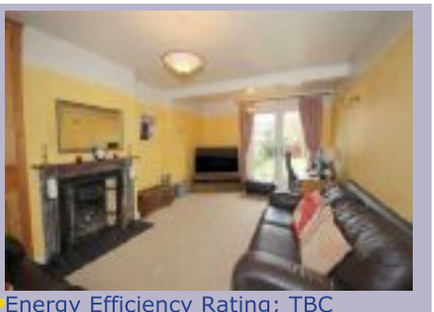

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WHAT'SONROUND-UP

Play's world premiere on life of Marvin Gaye

BY LAWRENCE JOHN
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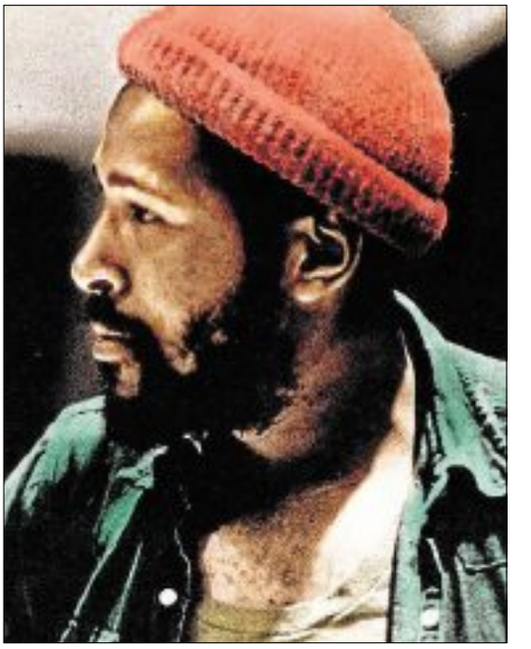

Royal & Derngate's Made in Northampton season continues with the world premiere of Soul, a brand new play about soul legend Marvin Gaye.

On April Fool's Day 1984, hours before his 45th birthday, Marvin Gaye was shot dead by his father in the shared family home they called the 'Big House'.

What happened there has been shrouded in mystery.

Revealing the events that took place during Gaye's haunting final days and exploring his extraordinary life, Soul is a parable about an American family crushed by fame – a searing portrait of the dark side of the American dream.

Written by award-winning Roy Williams (Sucker Punch, Days of Significance) in close collaboration with members of Gaye's family, Soul is a dramatic thriller about one of the most influential musicians of our time.

Playing the role of Marvin's mother Alberta, Adjoa Andoh will be remembered by many as Colette in Casualty.

The cast also includes rising star Nathan Ives-Moiba as Gaye himself and Leo Wringer as his father, Marvin Gaye Senior, both recently seen in As You Like It at the National Theatre.

Soul takes to the Royal stage from May 20 to June 11.

Tickets are priced from £10 to £29. To check the performance schedule or to book tickets, call 01604 624811 or visit www.royalandderngate.co.uk.

This production is recommended for ages 14 and upwards.

County's arts cinema listings this week

BY NICHOLAS BIEBER
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Here are the listings for Northamptonshire arts cinemas this week:

Errol Flynn Filmhouse

- Victoria
  Tomorrow
- High-Rise
  Tomorrow
- Zootropolis *(pictured)*
  In a city of anthropomorphic animals, a rookie bunny cop and a cynical con artist fox must work together to uncover a conspiracy.
  Saturday and Monday
- Blade Runner: The Final Cut
  Saturday
- Ran
  Sunday
- Eddie the Eagle
  Sunday and Tuesday
- The Last Man on the Moon
  Monday
- Boulevard
  Monday
- Nausicaä Of The Valley Of The Wind
  Tuesday
- The Pearl Button
  Wednesday
- Bridge of Spies
  Wednesday

To book tickets call the box office on 01604 624811.

Lings Forum

- Disorder
  Today
- Eye in the Sky
  Tomorrow-Wednesday
- Labyrinth
  Saturday and Sunday

To book tickets call 01604 837300.

WHAT'SONROUND-UP

Get ready to Jam with this collection of hits

No strangers to Wellingborough, From The Jam, featuring the legendary Bruce Foxton, return to The Castle this Sunday.

This time round the band will be performing a greatest hits show called The Public Gets What the Public Wants.

From The Jam will be performing a selection of The Jam's classic hits and album tracks from across their fantastic catalogue.

The Jam had amazing chart success with 18 singles and seven albums making the top 40 in the United Kingdom from their debut in 1977 to their break up in 1982.

Their last five albums were all top ten hits along with their last eight singles.

Classic songs include In the City, All Around the World, The Modern World, News of the World, Strange Town, When You're Young, The Eton Rifles, Going Underground, Dreams of Children, Start!, That's Entertainment, Funeral Pyre, Absolute Beginners, Town Called Malice, Precious, Just Who Is the 5 O'clock Hero?, The Bitterest Pill (I Ever Had to Swallow) and Beat Surrender.

The album legacy includes In the City, This Is the Modern World, All Mod Cons, Setting Sons, Sound Affects and The Gift.

Doors open at 7.30pm, with special guest support to be confirmed.

Tickets cost £20 from 01933 270007 or online at www.thecastle.org.uk

Find out what's on

The best things to do in your spare time can be found at www.northampton-news-hp.co.uk

Make a splash and win Crick Boat Show tickets

BY LAWRENCE JOHN
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The Northants Herald & Post has teamed up with the organisers of the Crick Boat Show to offer 10 readers a pair of adult tickets.

The special event returns to Northamptonshire on the spring bank holiday weekend (May 28-30), and for the first time children aged 16 and under can visit the show for free on all three show days.

The annual celebration, organised by Waterways World in partnership with the Canal & River Trust and Crick Marina, is Britain's biggest inland waterways festival with more than 250 exhibitors from across the canal world.

It takes place at Crick Marina, near Daventry in Northamptonshire, NN6 7SQ.

Crick Boat Show offers a fantastic day out for all the family with live music, free boat trips, children's activities, a fun fair, dozens of boats to look round, boat handling taster sessions, a real ale marquee and a large variety of food and drink stalls.

This year's show is expected to attract 25,000 visitors.

It will be open from 10am to 6pm on May 28 and 29 and 10am to 5pm on May 30.

Evening entertainment runs from 7.30pm to 11.30pm on May 28 and 29.

This year's headline acts include '2-4-6-8 Motorway' singer Tom Robinson and leading Blondie cover act Blondied.

To book tickets, visit www.crickboatshow.com/tickets.html or call 01283 742970.

■ To be in with a chance of winning one pair of the 10 we have to give away follow us on Twitter; @NorthamptonUK and watch out for the question we Tweet today.

The winners will be the 10 correct answers which we draw at random.

The Illegal Eagles set to soar in county

The world's official number one Eagles tribute, The Illegal Eagles, are set to deliver what promises to be another outstanding performance promising more of their tight harmonies, acute attention to detail and incredible showmanship.

With more than 15 years international touring experience, the band continues to amaze crowds everywhere with their ability to recreate the distinctive sound of The Eagles.

They will return to The Core at Corby Cube on Saturday at 7.30pm. Tickets are £25 with concessions at £23 and can be purchased by calling 01536 470470 or visiting www.thecorecorby.com.

The group will also appear at Northampton's Royal & Derngate on Thursday, May 19.

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Stevens Fun Fair rolls into Wellingborough
The fair rolls into Basset's Close from today until next Sunday. It opens on weekdays from 6pm and on weekends from 2pm.

SATURDAY

The Spirit of Elvis comes to Kettering
In 2005 Gordon was Grand Final winner of Stars In Their Eyes. In 2011 he was crowned European Elvis Champion 2011. And tonight from 7.30pm, the Elvis impersonator brings his new show to the Lighthouse Theatre. You can enjoy all of Elvis's iconic numbers by snapping up tickets from £20. Book at 01536 414141.

Rushden Historical Transport & Country Show
This is the 37th year of this transport show held in Bedford Road, Higham Ferrers. It will see thousands of visitors treated to vintage vehicle displays, military displays, model exhibitions, vintage fair rides, flypasts and more. The event is open 10am to 5pm from today until Monday. Tickets cost £8 for adults and £5 for children. See www.cavalcade.org.uk

Weekend Silverstone Spectacular
Club Motorsport is racing on the national circuit featuring cars from the 1950s to the present day. Saturday will be modern, Sunday will be classics. See www.classicsportscarclub.co.uk for more.

The British GT & BRDC F4 Championship
The British GT visits Rockingham Circuit in Corby today and tommorrow, bringing some of the world's most exotic supercars. See more at www.rockingham.co.uk/portfolio/avon-tyres-british-gt-championship/

Jack Irish

Drama on television is meant to grip you, it should hold you and enthral you and take you on a ride of intrigue.

All of these things are served up in Jack Irish which is currently being show on Fox at 10pm on Fridays.

Jack Irish is based on the novels written by Peter Temple and the TV version stars Guy Pearce in the lead role.

What is great about the way this show is done, is we, the viewer, know more than Jack Irish and we see him piecing together the plot.

There is the main plot concerning Irish having to find a missing person. On the side there are all the other strands of the tale involving all the other characters. It is like a dramatic spider's web.

This might have been a programme I would have missed but I remember Pearce in the film Memento and thought this could be good.

I have not been disappointed in this Australian made show.

Friday's cannot come quick enough as Friday night is Jack Irish night.

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Jeep's anniversary range

A new limited edition range of Jeep vehicles has been launched in the UK to celebrate the legendary brand's 75th anniversary.

The special versions feature exclusive branding, a high level of standard equipment, special styling details, unique green paint finishes (among other colour choices) and unique '75th Anniversary' badging.

Just 8,000 of the limited edition cars will be built for the entire Europe, Middle East and Africa region. Jeep's Renegade and Cherokee will be the first models to arrive in the UK, with the Grand Cherokee and Wrangler following.

The Renegade anniversary model sports a unique jungle green livery and comes equipped with either a 1.4-litre turbo engine with a nine-speed automatic transmission or a 2.0-litre engine with a choice of either a six-speed manual or a nine-speed automatic transmission.

Standard equipment includes 18-inch wheels, the exclusive MySky sunroof with removable panels, bronze-coloured fog lamp bezels, roof rails, and seats in black or black and sandstorm cloth with tangerine stitching.

The Cherokee comes in recon green and is powered by the new 2.2-litre turbo diesel engine with either Jeep Active Drive I 4x4 system or Active Drive II with two-speed power transmission units and low mode. Leather seats with dual tone tangerine/pearl stitching, 8.4-inch touchscreen radio, bi-xenon headlamps, heated steering wheel and dual pane panoramic sunroof, are among the standard equipment.

The Wrangler has received similar treatment boasting a sarge green body and comes equipped with either a 2.8-litre turbo diesel or a 3.6-litre petrol engine. Standard equipment includes body-colour grille, low gloss bronze headlamp surrounds and grille throats, Power Dome hood with functional air vents, navigation with premium sound system, ombre mesh leather seats and body-colour dual top.

The line-up is completed by the Grand Cherokee also featuring recon green paint finish. Powered by the 3.0-litre engine, it is paired with an eight-speed automatic transmission. Equipment is comprehensive and includes 20-inch light alloy wheels, navigation system, adaptive cruise control, forward collision warning, and air suspension that adjusts ground clearance to five different levels for improved driving dynamics on and off-road. A leather interior will be available in Morocco black.

The Renegade will cost from £26,795, and the Cherokee from £38,945. Prices for the Wrangler and Grand Cherokee versions will be announced later in the year.

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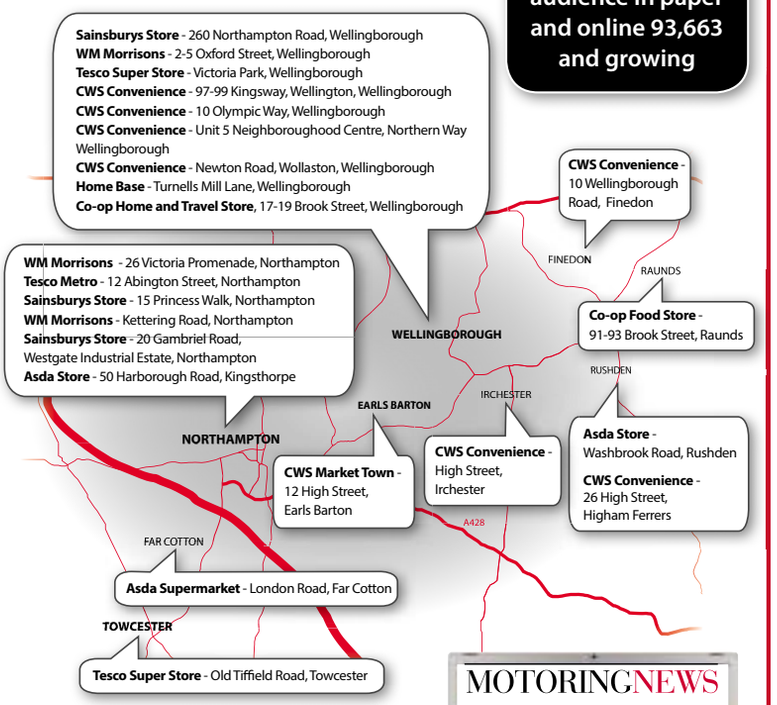

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Honda HR-V

Take a look inside. . .

The second generation Honda HR-V aims to stake a strong claim for the Japanese brand in the growing compact crossover market.

This time round, it's more spacious and better equipped to take on segment leaders like Nissan's Juke and Renault's Captur.

Buyers can choose from either a 1.5 petrol unit or a 1.6 diesel, both sending drive to the front wheels. It looks good and deserves to do very well.

Honda has ditched any pretence that this HR-V is a go-anywhere vehicle, offering it solely in front-wheel drive guise.

The body is extremely rigid due to a high percentage of high-tensile steel, and this in turn helps isolate the suspension to do its job properly.

Honda has concentrated on refinement, optimising aerodynamics to reduce wind noise at speed. The HR-V also employs a highly efficient acoustic insulation package.

Honda reckons the MK2 model HR-V combines the 'personality of a coupe with the solid stance of an SUV' and they're not too far wrong.

Think of it as a shrunken BMW X6 in appeal and you're not too far off the mark. The design is neat and interesting, with hidden rear door handles, deeply sculpted lower body panels and a CR-V-style front grille, headlamps and pointed taper at the rear side window line.

The cabin features quality materials, with a soft-touch dash top accented with brushed chrome and black inlays.

Unlike its predecessor, this HR-V's quite spacious inside. As well as splitting 60/40, the rear bench seat backs can fold forward as the seat base lowers to create a long, flat floor. The front and rear passenger seat backs can also fold forward to a horizontal position to accommodate longer items.

Its styling is neat and despite the sloping roofline, practicality looks well up to par. It's certainly a good deal more affordable and edgier than a CR-V. Of course, Honda has been here before with the HR-V but has learned lessons from that first generation model.

This time round, the brand has appreciated the need for real substance behind the style. With this in place, the HR-V will continue to appeal even if something fresher and more fashionable comes along. Job done.

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Motoring News

New Fiat Professional Fullback Makes UK Debut

FIAT Professional's all-new Fullback pick-up truck will make its UK debut on the FIAT Professional stand G80 – Hall 5 at this year's Commercial Vehicle Show held at Birmingham's NEC (26-28 April, 2016). Debuted at the 2015 Dubai International Motor Show, the new FIAT Professional Fullback is set to play a leading role in its segment thanks to its winning characteristics of robust construction and reliability. The new medium-duty pick-up will join the award-winning FIAT Professional range in June 2016, along with the new Talento and Fiorino, and will be available with a practical double cab body style configuration in the UK making it an ideal vehicle for both commercial and leisure time activities.

Astra-Cratic Vauxhall Pays Tribute

It's not everyday Her Majesty the Queen turns 90, and to celebrate this monumental occasion, Vauxhall Motors has given the green light on a 'Royal Astra' to pay homage to the longest serving British Monarch. From a retractable regal red carpet to a specially designed corgi booster seat, the red Royal ride is fuelled with a variety of Astra-cratic add-ons to ensure Queen Elizabeth II arrives to her party in style. And it's not just her Majesty being honoured, Vauxhall have gone to great lengths to make sure the Queen's prized Corgis are suitably looked after in the Royal manner with their very own booster seat and her own windscreen wiping waving hand. Her Majesty has been a Vauxhall owner for more than 50 years, all in Balmoral Green, a bespoke deep green colour not normally supplied by Vauxhall.

NEW CIVIC SPORT VARIANT LAUNCHED

Honda has today announced a new addition to the popular British-built Civic range. The 1.4 i-VTEC Civic Sport will become the entry level product in the Civic family when it hits showrooms next month. Priced at £18,360 OTR or £199 a month on a three year PCP deal with 5.9% APR and a deposit of £3,415, the new 1.4-litre petrol engine variant, available in manual transmission, joins the 1.6-litre, 120 PS diesel engine and the 1.8-litre, 142 PS petrol engine in the Civic Sport line up. Specifically styled as a more sporty and aggressive version of the family hatchback, the Civic Sport features a unique colour-coded rear spoiler and 17-inch alloy wheels and shares some of the striking design characteristics of the Civic Type R, with a lower grille mesh and a black roof lining for the cabin. ©LW

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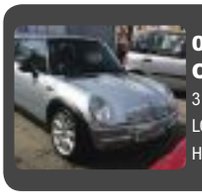

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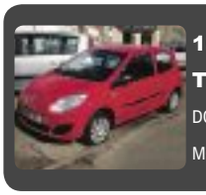

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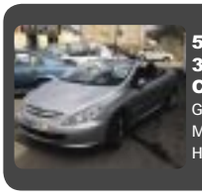

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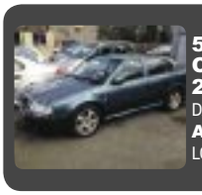

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Vauxhall's all-new Astra has proven itself to be one of the top models in the fleet industry, taking home two awards at the 2016 Fleet World Honours. The awards didn't end there for Vauxhall, as the Corsa also picked up the Best Supermini award and the Combo van won Best Small Van. Announced at the annual Fleet World Honours awards ceremony at the Royal Automobile Club in London on Tuesday, the Astra topped the extremely competitive Best New Car and the Best Lower Medium Car categories. The judges, made up of influential decision makers and fleet industry journalists, praised the model for its efficiency, running costs and technology.

Volvo XC90 Crowned Best SUV At Fleet World Honours

The Volvo XC90 has been crowned Best SUV at the Fleet World Honours 2016. The prestigious award ceremony was held at the famous Royal Automobile Club in London on Tuesday 19th April 2016. The XC90 was praised by the judges for its elegant design, luxurious and practical interior, and advanced safety and connectivity equipment. The XC90 uses Volvo's all-new SPA platform and a range of powerful yet efficient Drive-E powertrains. These include the recently upgraded D5 diesel engine with its ground-breaking PowerPulse technology and the plug-in hybrid petrol-electric T8 Twin Engine.

Range Rover Evoque Debuts Ember Special Edition

Land Rover is introducing an exclusive Special Edition of its fastest selling model, the Range Rover Evoque. As part of a package of enhancements to the original luxury compact SUV, the striking 'Ember' edition features a bold red and black theme boosting its appeal. The new 2017 model year Range Rover Evoque also offers next-generation InControl Touch Pro infotainment across the range, providing a 10.2-inch tablet-style pinch and zoom touchscreen control and a customisable home screen to ensure customers' favourite apps are always at their fingertips. The Range Rover Evoque, which established its own sector in 2011, has surpassed 520,000 sales globally when it re-wrote the motoring rule books and has amassed 182 international awards.

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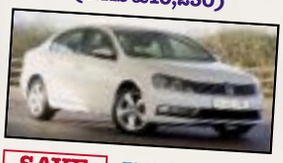

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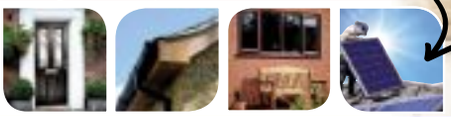

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Department for Transport

TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990

The Secretary of State gives notice of the proposal to make an Order under section 247 of the above Act to authorise the stopping up of a western part width of Syers Green Lane comprising its highway verge adjoining no. 1 Syers Green Close at Long Buckby, in the District of Daventry.

If made, the Order would authorise the stopping up only to enable development to be carried out should planning permission be granted by Daventry District Council. The Secretary of State gives notice of the draft Order under Section 253 (1) of the 1990 Act.

Copies of the draft Order and relevant plan will be available for inspection during normal opening hours at Long Buck by Library, Station Road, Long Buckby, NN6 7QB in the 28 days commencing on 28 April 2016, and may be obtained, free of charge, from the address stated below quoting NATTRAN/EM/S247/2260.

Any person may object to the making of the proposed order by stating their reasons in writing to the Secretary of State at nationalcasework@dft.gsi.gov.uk or National Transport Casework Team, Tyneside House, Skinnerburn Road, Newcastle upon Tyne NE4 7AR, quoting the above reference. Objections should be received by midnight on **26 May 2016**. You are advised that your personal data and correspondence will be passed to the applicant/agent to enable your objection to be considered. If you do not wish your personal data to be forwarded, please state your reasons when submitting your objection.

G Patrick, Casework Manager

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Public Notices

ANN MAY ELLIOTT
(Deceased)

Pursuant to the Trustee Act 1925 any persons having a claim against or an interest in the Estate of the above named, late of 29 Croftmeadow Court, Northampton NN3 8QA, who died on 10/03/2016, are required to send written particulars thereof to the undersigned on or before 29/06/2016, after which date the Estate will be distributed having regard only to the claims and interests of which they have had notice.

Chorus Law as Attorney for the Personal Representative, Heron House, Timothy's Bridge Road, Stratford-upon-Avon CV37 9BX.

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Public Notices

INSOLVENCY ACT 1986

IN BANKRUPTCY
NORTHAMPTON COUNTY COURT

NO 70295 of 2009 **RE: ALAN BRENNAN**

Who at the date of the bankruptcy order 2nd March 2009, resided at 102 Cromwell Crescent, Market Harborough, Leicestershire LE16 9JR.

D.O.B: 14 December 1956

NOTE: the above-named was discharged from the proceedings and may no longer have a connection with the address listed.

I intend to pay within four months from *25th May 2016* (being the last day for proving) the first and final dividend of 5.57 p/£.

Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must do so by *25th May 2016* otherwise they will be excluded from the dividend. The required proof of debt form is available on the Insolvency Service website (www.bis.gov.uk/insolvency, select "Forms" and then form 6.37). Alternatively, you can contact my office at Second Floor, 3 Piccadilly Place, London Road, Manchester M1 3BN or telephone 0161 234 8500 to supply a form.

Mr D Gibson, Official Receiver and trustee

Local Authority Notices

NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 - SECTION 14

THE NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL (PLUMPTON ROAD, WOODEND)

(TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF THROUGH TRAFFIC) ORDER 2016

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Northamptonshire County Council have made an Order the effect of which is to prohibit traffic from proceeding along that length of Plumpton Road, Woodend as set out below.

LENGTH OF ROAD TO WHICH RESTRICTION APPLIES: That length of Plumpton Road, Woodend from Lower Road to 50 metres past the entrance to Oakley Bank Farm.

REASONS FOR RESTRICTION: The restriction is required for safety during repairs to Anglian Water service.

PERIOD OF CLOSURE: The proposed Order will come into effect on 4th May 2016 and will continue in force for a period of eighteen months. An application may be made for the approval of the Secretary of State for Transport for the Order to be extended if this proves necessary. However, the restriction specified will have effect only at such times and to such an extent as is indicated by the display of signs prescribed by the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2002.

EXPECTED DURATION: It is expected that the road will be restricted for up to three days.

ALTERNATIVE ROUTES: use Main Street, Blakesley Road, Towcester Road, Wappenham Road, Abthorpe Road, High Street, Weedon Lois Road, Wappenham Road, High Street and Weston Road.

Dated this 28th day of April 2016

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NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 - SECTION 14
THE NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL (HIGH STREET, BLISWORTH)
(TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF THROUGH TRAFFIC) ORDER 2016

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Northamptonshire County Council intend, not less than seven days from the date of this Notice, to make an Order the effect of which will be to prohibit traffic from proceeding along that length of High Street, Blisworth as set out below.

LENGTH OF ROAD TO WHICH RESTRICTION APPLIES: That length of High Street, Blisworth from Chapel Lane to Stoke Road.

REASONS FOR RESTRICTION: The restriction is required for safety during installation of a new hyram.

PERIOD OF CLOSURE: The proposed Order will come into effect on 26th June 2016 and will continue in force for a period of eighteen months. An application may be made for the approval of the Secretary of State for Transport for the Order to be extended if this proves necessary. However, the restriction specified will have effect only at such times and to such an extent as is indicated by the display of signs prescribed by the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2002.

EXPECTED DURATION: It is expected that the road will be restricted for one day.

ALTERNATIVE ROUTES: use Stoke Road, Buttmead, Connegar Leys and Courteenhall Road.

Dated this 28th day of April 2016

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NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 - SECTION 14
THE NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL (PILGRIMS LANE, BUGBROOKE)
(TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF THROUGH TRAFFIC) ORDER 2016

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Northamptonshire County Council intend, not less than seven days from the date of this Notice, to make an Order the effect of which will be to prohibit traffic from proceeding along that length of Pilgrims Lane, Bugbrooke as set out below.

LENGTH OF ROAD TO WHICH RESTRICTION APPLIES: That length of Pilgrims Lane, Bugbrooke from High Street to Meadway.

REASONS FOR RESTRICTION: The restriction is required for safety during carriageway patching and associated works.

PERIOD OF CLOSURE: The proposed Order will come into effect on 28th June 2016 and will continue in force for a period of eighteen months. An application may be made for the approval of the Secretary of State for Transport for the Order to be extended if this proves necessary. However, the restriction specified will have effect only at such times and to such an extent as is indicated by the display of signs prescribed by the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2002.

EXPECTED DURATION: It is expected that the road will be restricted for one day.

ALTERNATIVE ROUTES: use High Street, Kislingbury Road, John Street, Oaklands and Meadway.

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NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 - SECTION 14
THE NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL (HARESMOOR DRIVE, TOWCESTER)
(TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF THROUGH TRAFFIC) ORDER 2016

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Northamptonshire County Council intend, not less than seven days from the date of this Notice, to make an Order the effect of which will be to prohibit traffic from proceeding along that length of Haresmoor Drive, Towcester as set out below.

LENGTH OF ROAD TO WHICH RESTRICTION APPLIES: That length Haresmoor Drive, Towcester from St Lawrence Road south to Bickerstaffes Road.

REASONS FOR RESTRICTION: The restriction is required for safety during carriageway patching and associated works.

PERIOD OF CLOSURE: The proposed Order will come into effect on 29th June 2016 and will continue in force for a period of eighteen months. An application may be made for the approval of the Secretary of State for Transport for the Order to be extended if this proves necessary. However, the restriction specified will have effect only at such times and to such an extent as is indicated by the display of signs prescribed by the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2002.

EXPECTED DURATION: It is expected that the road will be restricted for one day.

ALTERNATIVE ROUTES: use Bickerstaffes Road, Swinnyford Road, Buckingham Road and St Lawrence Road South.

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Local Authority Notices

NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 - SECTION 14
THE NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL (MARSTON HILL, MARSTON ST LAWRENCE)
(TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF THROUGH TRAFFIC) ORDER 2016

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Northamptonshire County Council intend, not less than seven days from the date of this Notice, to make an Order the effect of which will be to prohibit traffic from proceeding along that length of Marston Hill, Marston St Lawrence as set out below.

LENGTH OF ROAD TO WHICH RESTRICTION APPLIES: That length of Marston Hill, Marston St Lawrence from the junction of Welsh Road to The Green.

REASONS FOR RESTRICTION: The restriction is required for safety during carriageway patching.

PERIOD OF CLOSURE: The proposed Order will come into effect on 27th May 2016 and will continue in force for a period of eighteen months. An application may be made for the approval of the Secretary of State for Transport for the Order to be extended if this proves necessary. However, the restriction specified will have effect only at such times and to such an extent as is indicated by the display of signs prescribed by the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2002.

EXPECTED DURATION: It is expected that the road will be restricted for one day.

ALTERNATIVE ROUTES: use Marston Hill, Sulgrave Road and Welsh Road.

Dated this 28th day of April 2016

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NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 - SECTION 14
THE NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL (ST MICHAELS MOUNT, NORTHAMPTON)
(TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF THROUGH TRAFFIC) ORDER 2016

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Northamptonshire County Council intend, not less than seven days from the date of this Notice, to make an Order the effect of which will be to prohibit traffic from proceeding along that length of St Michaels Mount, Northampton as set out below.

LENGTH OF ROAD TO WHICH RESTRICTION APPLIES: That length of St Michaels Mount, Northampton from Perry Street and St Michaels Mount.

REASONS FOR RESTRICTION: The restriction is required for safety during repairs to carriageway and associated works.

PERIOD OF CLOSURE: The proposed Order will come into effect on 6th June 2016 and will continue in force for a period of eighteen months. An application may be made for the approval of the Secretary of State for Transport for the Order to be extended if this proves necessary. However, the restriction specified will have effect only at such times and to such an extent as is indicated by the display of signs prescribed by the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2002.

EXPECTED DURATION: It is expected that the road will be restricted for one day.

ALTERNATIVE ROUTES: use Perry Street, Magee Street and Turner Street.

Dated this 28th day of April 2016

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NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 - SECTION 14
THE NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL (BARRACK ROAD, NORTHAMPTON) (SOUTHBOUND ONLY)
(TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF THROUGH TRAFFIC) ORDER 2016

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Northamptonshire County Council intend, not less than seven days from the date of this Notice, to make an Order the effect of which will be to prohibit traffic from proceeding along that length of Barrack Road, Northampton (southbound only) as set out below.

LENGTH OF ROAD TO WHICH RESTRICTION APPLIES: That length Barrack Road, Northampton (southbound only) from Lorne Road to Campbell Street.

REASONS FOR RESTRICTION: The restriction is required for safety during carriageway subsidence repairs and associated works.

PERIOD OF CLOSURE: The proposed Order will come into effect on 18th May 2016 and will continue in force for a period of eighteen months. An application may be made for the approval of the Secretary of State for Transport for the Order to be extended if this proves necessary. However, the restriction specified will have effect only at such times and to such an extent as is indicated by the display of signs prescribed by the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2002.

EXPECTED DURATION: It is expected that the road will be restricted for two days.

ALTERNATIVE ROUTES: use Burleigh Road, St Andrews Road and Graton Street.

Dated this 28th day of April 2016

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Rail Central: Consultation announced

Rail Central
Northamptonshire

Section 47(6) Planning Act 2008

NOTICE OF DEPOSIT – STATEMENT OF COMMUNITY CONSULTATION

Rail Central is a proposed new strategic rail freight interchange in Northamptonshire. The site is located where the West Coast mainline meets the Northampton Loop Line to the south west of Northampton and between the villages of Blisworth and Milton Malsor.

Ashfield Land (the Applicant) has placed on deposit for inspection (free of charge) at the locations listed below a Statement of Community Consultation (SoCC). This is for Rail Central, a new strategic rail freight interchange (the Project). The SoCC explains how the Applicant will consult on the Project with the local community, residents, businesses and organisations in the area.

As the Project is a Nationally Significant Infrastructure Project, the Applicant will apply to the Planning Inspectorate for a Development Consent Order under the requirements of the Planning Act 2008. The Applicant is required to consult with local communities before the application is submitted to the Planning Inspectorate. The Applicant is also required to produce a Consultation Report detailing how the public's views have been taken into consideration and how the consultation requirements of the Planning Act 2008 have been complied with.

The Project is an Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) development and so the Applicant will prepare an Environmental Statement to accompany the application to the Planning Inspectorate. Preliminary Environmental Information will be made available for people to inspect at the locations listed below, as well as at **www.railcentral.com**

The SOCC can be viewed at:

LOCATION	ADDRESS	OPENING TIMES
Northamptonshire County Council	County Hall, Northampton NN1 1ED	Monday – Friday: 8am – 5.30pm
Northampton Borough Council Offices	The One Stop Shop, The Guildhall, St Giles Square, Northampton NN1 1DE	Monday – Friday: 10am – 4pm
Northamptonshire Central Library	Northamptonshire Central Library, Abington Street, Northampton NN1 2BA	Monday – Friday: 9am – 6pm; Saturday: 9am – 5pm; Sunday: 11am – 4pm
Roade Library	Roade Library, High Street, Roade NN7 2NW	Wednesday – Friday: 2pm – 6pm; Saturday: 10am – 2pm; Sunday: 1pm – 4pm
Towcester Library	Towcester Library, The Forum, Moat Lane, Towcester NN12 6AD	Monday – Friday: 9am – 6pm; Saturday: 9am – 5pm; Sunday: 1pm – 4pm

* Please note these opening hours were provided by the venue and are subject to change at the discretion of the venue. Visitors are advised to confirm opening times directly with the venue when planning to visit.

Public exhibitions

Starting this April, we will be inviting the local community to take part in the formal pre-application consultation process so that people can find out more about the project, view the plans, input to the proposals, and register comments and opinions.

Feedback received will help to inform the application for the project to be submitted to the Planning Inspectorate. This consultation programme has been developed in discussion with Northampton Borough Council, Northamptonshire County Council and South Northamptonshire Council.

We will be holding a number of public exhibitions so that people can find out more, view the plans, and register comments and opinions. Information will also be available on our website and at the locations specified above. **The dates for the exhibitions are:**

VENUE	ADDRESS	DATE	TIME
Walnut Tree Inn	21 Station Road, Blisworth NN7 3DS	Thursday 28 April 2016	12pm – 8pm
Walnut Tree Inn	21 Station Road, Blisworth NN7 3DS	Friday 6 May 2016	12pm – 8pm
Blisworth Village Hall	19 Stoke Road, Blisworth NN7 3DB	Saturday 7 May 2016	11am – 4pm
Roade Village Hall	Bailey Brooks Lane, Roade NN7 2LT	Friday 13 May 2016	11am – 5pm
Collingtree Village Hall	The High Street, Collingtree NN4 0NQ	Saturday 14 May 2016	11am – 4pm
Towcester Town Hall	The Town Hall, 86 Watling Street, Towcester, NN12 6BS	Wednesday 18 May 2016	12pm – 8pm
Milton Malsor Village Hall	High Street, Milton Malsor, NN7 3AS	Friday 20 May 2016	12pm – 8pm
Blisworth Village Hall	19 Stoke Road, Blisworth NN7 3DB	Saturday 21 May 2016	11am – 4pm

Have your say

We have set up a number of ways to help ensure local communities and other interested parties can provide feedback. This includes:

- **Project website:** the project website (www.railcentral.com) includes the latest project information, updates and core documents as detailed above. An online feedback system is available on the website.
- **Project email address:** the project email address (railcentral@camargue.uk) is monitored regularly and can be used to request further information, ask questions or submit feedback.
- **Freepost:** the dedicated project freepost address (Freepost Rail Central) can be used to request further information, ask questions or submit feedback.
- **Project telephone line:** the project telephone line (0845 543 8967) can be used for general enquiries relating to the consultation. Local residents and other interested parties can request information by telephoning the project telephone line. However, it is not possible to provide feedback through the consultation line.

The deadline for all feedback during this phase of the consultation is Friday 30 September 2016. Any feedback received after this date may not be included.

All feedback provided during the consultation will be considered. The Consultation Report will detail the **consultation** carried out, summarise the feedback received and demonstrate how Ashfield Land has had regard to feedback

Following the consultation, the plans will be finalised and an application is expected to be submitted to the Planning Inspectorate in 2017.

Contact us

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Local Authority Notices

NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 - SECTION 14

THE NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL (WINCHESTER ROAD, NORTHAMPTON)

(TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF THROUGH TRAFFIC) ORDER 2016

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Northamptonshire County Council intend, not less than seven days from the date of this Notice, to make an Order the effect of which will be to prohibit traffic from proceeding along that length of Winchester Road, Northampton as set out below.

LENGTH OF ROAD TO WHICH RESTRICTION APPLIES: That length of Winchester Road, Northampton from Friars Avenue to Parkfield Avenue.

REASONS FOR RESTRICTION: The restriction is required for safety during carriageway repairs and associated works.

PERIOD OF CLOSURE: The proposed Order will come into effect on 24th May 2016 and will continue in force for a period of eighteen months. An application may be made for the approval of the Secretary of State for Transport for the Order to be extended if this proves necessary. However, the restriction specified will have effect only at such times and to such an extent as is indicated by the display of signs prescribed by the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2002.

EXPECTED DURATION: It is expected that the road will be restricted until for one day.

ALTERNATIVE ROUTES: use Friars Avenue, Parkfield Avenue, Gloucester Avenue and London Road.

Dated this 28th day of April 2016

QUENTIN BAKER
Director of LGSS Law

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Licensing Notices

Goods Vehicle Operator's Licence

Howdens Joinery Ltd trading as Howdens Joinery Ltd of Liliput Road, Brackmills, Ind Est, Northampton, NN4 7DT is applying for a licence to use 80 Scalley Way, Raunds, Wellingborough NN9 6RJ as an operating centre for 60 goods vehicles and 248 trailers.

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Planning Notices

NORTHAMPTON BOROUGH COUNCIL

TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT PROCEDURE) (ENGLAND) ORDER 2015
NOTICE UNDER ARTICLE 13
PLANNING (LISTED BUILDINGS AND CONSERVATION AREAS) ACT 1990
THE TOWN & COUNTRY PLANNING (ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT) REGULATIONS 2011

APPLICATIONS FOR PLANNING PERMISSION

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Members of the public may inspect copies of any application, plans and any other documentation submitted by visiting the Council Offices, One Stop Shop, The Guildhall, St Giles Square, Northampton, NN1 1DE during all reasonable office hours. Alternatively the plans can be viewed via the Council's website (www.northampton.gov.uk) using the Search for Planning Applications page. This will also tell you the current status of the application together with other useful information. Anyone who wishes to make representations about any applications should write to the Planning Division, Guildhall, St Giles Square, Northampton NN1 1DE
or email planning@northampton.gov.uk by: 19 May 2016
S P Boyes, Director – Regeneration, Enterprise & Planning
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Legal Notices

NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 - SECTION 14

THE NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL (SANDILAND ROAD, BROOKLAND ROAD & LINDSAY TERRACE, NORTHAMPTON)

(TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF THROUGH TRAFFIC) ORDER 2016

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Northamptonshire County Council intend, not less than seven days from the date of this Notice, to make an Order the effect of which will be to prohibit traffic from proceeding along those lengths of Sandiland Road, Brookland Road and Lindsay Terrace, Northampton as specified in the Schedule below.

REASONS FOR RESTRICTION: The restriction is required for safety during carriageway repairs and associated works.

PERIOD OF CLOSURE: The proposed Order will come into effect on 23rd May 2016 and will continue in force for a period of eighteen months. An application may be made for the approval of the Secretary of State for Transport for the Order to be extended if this proves necessary. However, the restriction specified will have effect only at such times and to such an extent as is indicated by the display of signs prescribed by the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2002.

EXPECTED DURATION: It is expected that the roads will be restricted for one day per road.

ALTERNATIVE ROUTES: As specified in the Schedule below.

Dated this 28th day of April 2016

QUENTIN BAKER
Director of LGSS Law

PKG/T16/199

If you require any further information please contact Gary Thorp on 01604-883400.

SCHEDULE

Road Name	Termination Points	Alternative Route	Date
Sandiland Road	Broadway East to Fullingdale Road	Use Broadway East and Fullingdale Road	23/05/2016
Brookland Road	Kettering Road to The Drive	Use Kettering Road, Oakwood Road and The Drive	27/05/2016
Lindsay Terrace	Lindsay Avenue to Addison Road	Use Broadmead Avenue, Beech Avenue and Lindsay Avenue	31/05/2106

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Legal Notices

NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 - SECTION 14

THE NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL (VARIOUS ROADS, SILVERSTONE & WHITTLEBURY)

(TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF THROUGH TRAFFIC) ORDER 2016

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Northamptonshire County Council intend, not less than seven days from the date of this Notice, to make an Order the effect of which will be to prohibit traffic from proceeding along those lengths of the various roads in Silverstone and Whittlebury as specified in the Schedule below.

REASONS FOR RESTRICTION: The restriction is required for safety during carriageway patching, repairs and associated works.

PERIOD OF CLOSURE: The proposed Order will come into effect on 13th June 2016 and will continue in force for a period of eighteen months. An application may be made for the approval of the Secretary of State for Transport for the Order to be extended if this proves necessary. However, the restriction specified will have effect only at such times and to such an extent as is indicated by the display of signs prescribed by the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2002.

EXPECTED DURATION: It is expected that the roads will be restricted as specified in the Schedule below.

ALTERNATIVE ROUTES: as specified in the Schedule below.

Dated this 28th day of April 2016

QUENTIN BAKER
Director of LGSS Law

PKG/T16/149

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Road Name	Termination Points	Alternative Route	Expected dates
Brackley Road and Towcester Road, Silverstone	From Whittlebury Road to A43 northbound onslip	Use A43 and Dadford Road	13th to 17th June 2016
Towcester Road, Silverstone/ Whittlebury	From A43 northbound onslip to Shutlanger Road	For northbound use Shutlanger Road, A5, A43, Dadford Road and Brackley Road. For southbound use A43, A5 and Shutlanger Road	20th to 24th June 2016
Dadford Road, Silverstone	From A43 northbound onslip to A43 southbound off slip	Use A43	27th to 28th June 2016

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NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 - SECTION 14

THE NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL (TRACK TO LITTLE BRINGTON, UPPER HEYFORD; BRINGTON ROAD & BROCKHALL ROAD, FLORE)

(TEMPORARY 30 MPH SPEED RESTRICTION) ORDER 2016

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Northamptonshire County Council have made an Order the effect of which is to prohibit traffic from exceeding 30 mph along those lengths of Track to Little Brington, Upper Heyford; Brington Road and Brockhall Road, Fore as specified in the Schedule below.

REASONS FOR RESTRICTION: The restriction is required for safety during construction of new bypass.

PERIOD OF CLOSURE: The proposed Order will come into effect on 3rd May 2016 and will continue in force for a period of two years. An application may be made for the approval of the Secretary of State for Transport for the Order to be extended if this proves necessary. However, the restriction specified will have effect only at such times and to such an extent as is indicated by the display of signs prescribed by the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2002.

EXPECTED DURATION: It is expected that the roads will be restricted for two years.

Dated this 28th day of April 2016

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SCHEDULE

(Lengths of roads to which 30 mph speed restriction applies)

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ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 - SECTION 14

THE NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL (PUBLIC FOOTPATHS RX1A, RX2A, RX3 (PART) & RX4 (PART) – PARISH OF SILVERSTONE)

(TEMPORARY CLOSURE) ORDER 2016

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Northamptonshire County Council have made an Order the effect of which is to prohibit all pedestrians from proceeding along those lengths of Public Footpaths as specified below. Private access to land or premises adjacent to the said lengths of footpaths is unaffected.

RIGHT OF WAY TO WHICH RESTRICTION APPLIES:

The existing route of RX4 (part) to be closed begins at point A on the map at National Grid Reference ("NGR") SP6718 4354. The route travels generally north east for approximately 44 metres to point B at NGR SP6720 4358. The route continues north east for approximately 136 metres to point C at NGR SP6725 4366. It then continues north east for approximately 26 metres to point D at NGR SP6726 4368. It then travels a further 44 metres north east to point E at NGR SP6726 4371, at the junction with footpath RX3.

The route is shown by a solid black line between points A – B – C – D – E.

The route of RX3 (part) to be closed starts at point D at NGR SP6726 4368. The route travels generally north west for approximately 35 metres to point E at NGR SP6726 4371. It then travels north east for approximately 75 metres to point F at NGR SP6723 4378. It then heads north west for a further 51 metres to point G at NGR SP6720 4382.

The route is shown by a solid black line between points D – E – F – G.

The route of RX1a to be closed starts at point B at NGR SP6720 4358. The route travels generally north west for approximately 125 metres to point H at NGR SP6716 4396. The route then travels generally north east for approximately 114 metres to point F at NGR SP6723 4378.

The route is shown by a solid black line between points B – H – F.

The route of RX2a to be closed starts at point C at NGR SP6725 4366. It travels generally north west for approximately 99 metres to pint H at NGR SP6716 4396.

The route is shown by a solid black line between points C – H.

REASONS FOR RESTRICTION: The restriction is required for a residential development and associated works.

PERIOD OF CLOSURE: The Order will come into effect on 1st May 2016 and will continue in force for a period of six months. An application may be made for the approval of the Secretary of State for Transport for this Order to be extended if this proves necessary. However, the restriction specified will have effect only at such times and to such extent as is indicated by the display of notices.

ALTERNATIVE ROUTES: The alternative route of RX3 and RX4 starts at point A at NGR SP6718 4354. The route travels generally north east to point I at NGR SP6727 4370. The route then travels generally north west for approximately 304 metres to point G at NGR SP6720 4382. The alternative route is shown by a broken black line between points A – I – G.

The alternative route of RX1a and RX2a starts at point H at NGR SP6716 4396. The alternative route travels generally north west along Murswell Lane for approximately 131 metres to point J at NGR SP6704 4374, on Towcester Road. The route then travels generally north east along the highway footway of Towcester Road for approximately 206 metres to point K at NGR SP6710 4393. The route then joins up with RX3 and heads south east for a total distance of 22 metres to point G at NGR SP6720 4382.

The route is shown by a broken black line between points H – J – K – G.

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ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 - SECTION 14
THE NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL (PUBLIC FOOTPATHS KU3 (PART), KU16 (PART), KU20 – PARISH OF GREAT HOUGHTON; PUBLIC FOOTPATH KV1 – PARISH OF LITTLE HOUGHTON & PUBLIC FOOTPATH HW37 – BOROUGH OF NORTHAMPTON)
(TEMPORARY CLOSURE) ORDER 2016

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The route is shown by a solid black line between points A – B.
The existing route KU20 to be closed starts at point C at NGR SP7920 6034. The route travels generally east past point B for approximately 136 metres to point D at NGR SP7930 6032.
The route is shown by a solid black line between points C – D.
The route of KV1 to be closed starts at point D at NGR SP7930 6032. The route travels generally south east for approximately 333 metres to point E at NGR SP7953 6010.
The route is shown by a solid black line between points D – E.
The route of KU3 (part) to be closed starts at point E at NGR SP7953 6010. The route travel generally southeast then south west for approximately 108 metres to point F at NGR SP7951 5999.
The route to be closed is shown by a solid black line between points E – F.
The route of HW37 to be closed starts at point C at NGR SP7920 6034. The route travels generally north east for approximately 531 metres to point G at NGR SP7922 6083.
The route is shown by a solid black line between points C – G.

REASONS FOR RESTRICTION: The restriction is required for repair works to spillway, embankment and erosion protection.

PERIOD OF CLOSURE: The Order will come into effect on 28th April 2016 and will continue in force for a period of six months. An application may be made for the approval of the Secretary of State for Transport for this Order to be extended if this proves necessary. However, the restriction specified will have effect only at such times and to such extent as is indicated by the display of notices.

ALTERNATIVE ROUTES: The alternative route starts for all routes starts at point F at NGR SP7951 5999, at the junction with KU17. The route travels generally west then north west for a total distance of approximately 1732 metres to point A at NGR SP7808 5991. The route then travels generally south along footpath KU16 and KN16 for a total distance of approximately 421 metres to point H at NGR SP7791 5955. The route travels along the highway footway of Bedford Road for approximately 489 metres to point I at NGR SP7744 5964. The route then travels generally north east along the highway footway known as part of the Nene Valley Way for approximately 2290 metres to point G at NGR SP7922 6083.
The alternative route is shown by a broken black line between point K – A – H – I

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ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 - SECTION 14
THE NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL (MAIN ROAD, GRENDON)
(TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF THROUGH TRAFFIC) ORDER 2016

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Northamptonshire County Council have made an Order the effect of which is to prohibit traffic from proceeding along that length of Main Road, Grendon as set out below.
LENGTH OF ROAD TO WHICH RESTRICTION APPLIES: That length of Main Road, Grendon from outside 39 Main Road, Grendon.
REASONS FOR RESTRICTION: The restriction is required for safety during new water connection.
PERIOD OF CLOSURE: The proposed Order will come into effect on 4th May 2016 and will continue in force for a period of eighteen months. An application may be made for the approval of the Secretary of State for Transport for the Order to be extended if this proves necessary. However, the restriction specified will have effect only at such times and to such an extent as is indicated by the display of signs prescribed by the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2002.
EXPECTED DURATION: It is expected that the road will be restricted for up to three days.
ALTERNATIVE ROUTES: use Grendon Road, Doddington Road, A509, London Road, Easton Lane, Grendon Road and Easton Way.
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ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 - SECTION 14
THE NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL (SLAPTON ROAD, WOODEND)
(TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF THROUGH TRAFFIC) ORDER 2016

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Northamptonshire County Council have made an Order the effect of which is to prohibit traffic from proceeding along that length of Slapton Road, Woodend as set out below.
LENGTH OF ROAD TO WHICH RESTRICTION APPLIES: That length of Slapton Road, Woodend from Blakesley Road to Road to Green Park.
REASONS FOR RESTRICTION: The restriction is required for safety during carriageway repairs and associated works.
PERIOD OF CLOSURE: The proposed Order will come into effect on 9th May 2016 and will continue in force for a period of eighteen months. An application may be made for the approval of the Secretary of State for Transport for the Order to be extended if this proves necessary. However, the restriction specified will have effect only at such times and to such an extent as is indicated by the display of signs prescribed by the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2002.
EXPECTED DURATION: It is expected that the road will be restricted for up to three days.
ALTERNATIVE ROUTES: use Blakesley Road and Main Street.
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ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 - SECTION 14
THE NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL (HIGH STREET, SILVERSTONE)
(TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF THROUGH TRAFFIC) ORDER 2016

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Northamptonshire County Council intend, not less than seven days from the date of this Notice, to make an Order the effect of which will be to prohibit traffic from proceeding along that length of High Street, Silverstone as set out below.
LENGTH OF ROAD TO WHICH RESTRICTION APPLIES: That length of High Street, Silverstone from Stocks Hill to Green Lane.
REASONS FOR RESTRICTION: The restriction is required for safety during new gas connection.
PERIOD OF CLOSURE: The proposed Order will come into effect on 5th June 2016 and will continue in force for a period of eighteen months. An application may be made for the approval of the Secretary of State for Transport for the Order to be extended if this proves necessary. However, the restriction specified will have effect only at such times and to such an extent as is indicated by the display of signs prescribed by the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2002.
EXPECTED DURATION: It is expected that the road will be restricted for one day.
ALTERNATIVE ROUTES: use Stocks Hill, Whittlebury Road and Towcester Road.
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ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 - SECTION 14
THE NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL (BRICKETTS LANE, FLORE)
(TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF THROUGH TRAFFIC) ORDER 2016

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Northamptonshire County Council intend, not less than seven days from the date of this Notice, to make an Order the effect of which will be to prohibit traffic from proceeding along that length of Bricketts Lane, Flore as set out below.
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REASONS FOR RESTRICTION: The restriction is required for safety during repairs to Anglian Water service.
PERIOD OF CLOSURE: The proposed Order will come into effect on 13th June 2016 and will continue in force for a period of eighteen months. An application may be made for the approval of the Secretary of State for Transport for the Order to be extended if this proves necessary. However, the restriction specified will have effect only at such times and to such an extent as is indicated by the display of signs prescribed by the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2002.
EXPECTED DURATION: It is expected that the road will be restricted for three days.
ALTERNATIVE ROUTES: use High Street and The Avenue.
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ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 - SECTION 14
THE NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL (GREENWAY, PATTISHALL)
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Northamptonshire County Council intend, not less than seven days from the date of this Notice, to make an Order the effect of which will be to prohibit traffic from proceeding along that length of Greenway, Pattishall as set out below.
LENGTH OF ROAD TO WHICH RESTRICTION APPLIES: That length of Greenway, Pattishall from Banbury Lane to Gayton Road.
REASONS FOR RESTRICTION: The restriction is required for safety during carriageway patching and associated works.
PERIOD OF CLOSURE: The proposed Order will come into effect on 27th June 2016 and will continue in force for a period of eighteen months. An application may be made for the approval of the Secretary of State for Transport for the Order to be extended if this proves necessary. However, the restriction specified will have effect only at such times and to such an extent as is indicated by the display of signs prescribed by the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2002.
EXPECTED DURATION: It is expected that the road will be restricted for one day.
ALTERNATIVE ROUTES: use Banbury Lane and Pound Lane.
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ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 - SECTION 14
THE NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL (BURCOTE ROAD, TOWCESTER)
(TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF THROUGH TRAFFIC) ORDER 2016

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Northamptonshire County Council have made an Order the effect of which is to prohibit traffic from proceeding along that length of Burcote Road, Towcester as set out below.
LENGTH OF ROAD TO WHICH RESTRICTION APPLIES: That length of Burcote Road, Towcester from the junction of Highfields for 200 metres south.
REASONS FOR RESTRICTION: The restriction is required to enable 278 works.
PERIOD OF CLOSURE: The proposed Order will come into effect on 28th May 2016 and will continue in force for a period of eighteen months. An application may be made for the approval of the Secretary of State for Transport for the Order to be extended if this proves necessary. However, the restriction specified will have effect only at such times and to such an extent as is indicated by the display of signs prescribed by the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2002.
EXPECTED DURATION: It is expected that the road will be restricted until 6th May.
ALTERNATIVE ROUTES: use Burcote Road, A43, Brackley Road, A5 and Burcote Road.
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ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 - SECTION 14
THE NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL (MONTAGUE STREET, RUSHDEN)
(TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF THROUGH TRAFFIC) ORDER 2016

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Northamptonshire County Council have made an Order the effect of which is to prohibit traffic from proceeding along that length of Montague Street, Rushden as set out below.
LENGTH OF ROAD TO WHICH RESTRICTION APPLIES: That length of Montague Street, Rushden from Wellingborough Road to Moor Road.
REASONS FOR RESTRICTION: The restriction is required for safety during installation of new gas connection.
PERIOD OF CLOSURE: The proposed Order will come into effect on 9th May 2016 and will continue in force for a period of eighteen months. An application may be made for the approval of the Secretary of State for Transport for the Order to be extended if this proves necessary. However, the restriction specified will have effect only at such times and to such an extent as is indicated by the display of signs prescribed by the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2002.
EXPECTED DURATION: It is expected that the road will be restricted for up to five days.
ALTERNATIVE ROUTES: use Wellingborough Road, Dayton Road and Moor Road.
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How Town's champs performed this year

GRIPPED BY THE COBBLERS

BY TOM REED
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Northampton's 1-1 draw at Yeovil Town on Saturday increased their unbeaten run to a new club record of 22 league games. Ahead of this weekend's championship coronation v Luton Town I look how each player has contributed to the championship-winning campaign.

Adam Smith: Football League Team of the Year goalkeeper could well go on to become the club's first £1 million player. A superb season.

Brendan Moloney: Defending is perhaps this right-back's weakest element but more than makes up for it with marauding runs forward. Key player in Chris Wilder's counter attacking style.

Zander Diamond: Not getting any younger but a rock in Town's defence this season. A player to rely on and good experience to play alongside Rod McDonald.

Rod McDonald: Concrete Rod has progressed at a staggering rate since joining from non-league. Still has the odd mistake in him but emerged as a first choice centre back.

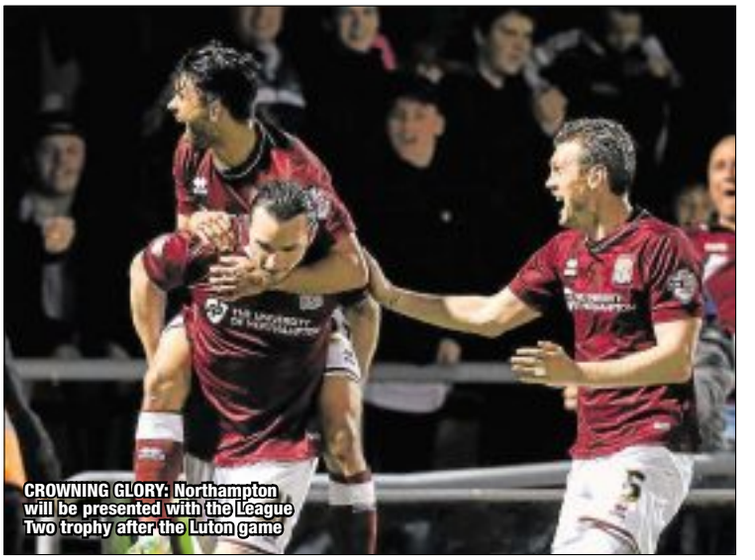
Ryan Cresswell: Things just haven't gone well this season for Ryan. Although he is a good defender, he has struggled to get into the side with Diamond and McDonald performing well.

Luke Prosser: Not set the world alight since joining on loan. Looks a tidy player when given time on the ball, but ponderous under pressure.

Dave Buchanan: Would be a popular choice for player of the season. 'Mr 7 out of 10' is super consistent with a great work ethic. Needs to sign a new long-term contract ASAP.

Josh Lelan: Probably done just about enough to be retained as a reserve right back on a cheap contract.

John-Joe O'Toole: Named in PFA League Two Team of the Year and standout in the Cobblers midfield. His long term contract seems a great decision from Wilder. Will handle League One no problem.



CROWNING GLORY: Northampton will be presented with the League Two trophy after the Luton game

Joel Byrom: In and out of the Cobblers' side but on his day a key component of Northampton's success. Can pick a pass and keeps Town's play ticking over.

Danny Rose: Stepped up ably at the latter end of the season and gives Byrom good competition. An honest player who has fitted into the midfield well.

Jason Taylor: Always done a good job when called upon but his physical style is less suited to a Town side that can now play a bit. Deserves to be starting elsewhere.

Lawson D'Ath: Not built on his fantastic first season at Sixfields but a player in there for sure and worth a place alone for his work rate. Better defensively than other wingers.

Ricky Holmes: What can you say about this man? Cobblers pocket rocket has been sensational and looks Championship level.

Nicky Adams: Came good at the end of the season but needs to find consistency throughout. Worth a place for his set pieces alone.

Alfie Potter: Struggled badly with injuries but pace matches well with Town's counter-attacking ambitions. Worth sticking with but needs to up his game.

Sam Hoskins: Rapid, mobile attacker but still not sure if he's a striker or a midfielder. Needs to be put on shooting practice to up his finishing rate.

Marc Richards: Best forward in League Two on his day but another season ended with injury. Banking on him is a gamble but too good to discard. Good club man too.

John Marquis: The sort of player Cobblers fans love, works his backside off and has that Millwall menace. Another that could score more goals.

James Collins: Clearly capable but his all round game not there at present. Would like to see him with a pre-season in him but are there better players out there?

Wilder still focused on winning ahead of party at Sixfields

The enormity of Northampton Town's achievement in winning League Two by a street will only hit home after they are presented with the trophy after Saturday's match against Luton Town according to manager Chris Wilder.

It has been a campaign where the records have tumbled on the pitch with, finally, some progress off it after Kelvin Thomas came to the club's rescue with them on the brink of going into administration.

Now Sixfields, with its East Stand coming along nicely after all those delays, is set for a record attendance in seeing Wilder's men crowned champions after claiming the Cobblers' first league title since 1987.

Wilder said: "When you're in the middle of it and, obviously, coming to the back end of it, I don't think we realise where we've come and what we've achieved because you're just focused on winning games.

"But I think Saturday will really hit home. Before Yeovil, the previous two Saturdays were fantastic occasions, but this really is one where it will hit home with everybody the outstanding achievements' of everybody at this football club.

"I think it will be some day and we're really looking forward to it. From a football perspective we want to finish off on a high, we've got a proud unbeaten record stretching back quite a way and we want to preserve that with a win.

"These next two weeks are going to be some two weeks and we want to get the maximum out of it by playing well and by celebrating as well because these seasons don't come around every year."

There is the matter of a final home game of the season to prepare for and Wilder insists getting ready to face Luton is at the forefront of his mind.

While Northampton can no longer reach 100 points this season following last weekend's 1-1 draw at Yeovil, they'll still be keen to extend their club record-breaking unbeaten run beyond 22 games.

Wilder said: "We've got a game to attack before. If I'm being honest about what happens afterwards, there is going to be a presentation, there is going to be a celebration, but that's in the back of my mind.

"The biggest thing is that we finish out on a high at home. We've won in all different manners down here; we've played at times some scintillating football."

Nightmare opening at Essex leads to humbling defeat for Northants

CRICKET

BY MATT WRIGHT
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Northamptonshire were unable to bat out the final day at Chelmsford as they were thrashed by an innings and 92 runs in their second game of the County Championship season.

A catastrophic start to their first innings on Tuesday was to leave them in a hole they were unable to climb out of as they were reduced to 6-4 in less than seven overs before lunch on the third day.

Forced to follow-on, the visitors went into the final day on 128-4, still requiring another 194 runs to even make Essex bat again with just six wickets left.

But Netherlands all-rounder Ryan ten Doeschate was to hammer the final nail in the coffin by taking 4-31 to bowl Northants out for 230 and settle a match that they would like to forget.

They had chosen to bowl first, but were made to regret this as Essex's top order dominated the opening day with England Test captain Alastair Cook making a watchful 65.

This went alongside half centuries for Nick Browne (60) and Tom Westley (64) and there was further frustration the as heavy rain wiped out most of the second day with the hosts closing on 351-3.

Ravi Bopara and 18-year-old Dan Lawrence then ensured all of Essex's top five batsmen had gone past 50 with 51 and 76 respectively, but Ben Sanderson's 5-108 did at least prevent a truly massive total.

Essex declared on 441-8 and they were to rip through Northants as Ben Duckett, captain Alex Wakely, Jake Libby and Richard Levi all fell before lunch with just four runs between them.

Wicketkeeper Adam Rossington hung around with 67 off 73 balls, but only two other batsmen made double figures as the visitors were skittled for just 119 with the impressive Jamie Porter claiming a career-best 5-46.

Forced to follow-on, Libby and Duckett put on 72 for the opening stand in the second innings, but wickets were to tumble regularly after the former fell on 18.

Duckett crashed an impressive 58 off 64 deliveries, but Essex's attack was relentless and Northants' goose was cooked just after lunch on the final day when Graham Napier bowled Sanderson.

RARE RESISTANCE: Ben Duckett top-scored with 58

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Hill is keen to keep on climbing after rapid rise

WHIRLWIND YEAR: Paul Hill earned his first senior international call-up

SAINTS

BY MATT WRIGHT
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It's been an eventful year for Northampton Saints prop Paul Hill, who went from playing for Yorkshire Carnegie in the Championship to making his senior England debut in the Six Nations in less than 12 months.

The 21-year-old signed for Saints last summer and has had a rapid rise to prominence since, winning his first England call-up after making just three starts in his first season in the Premiership.

Hill is the archetypal old head on young shoulders in the scrum – it's not often a prop of his age plays as maturely – while he also provides a good presence in the loose by crashing over the gain line.

Hill said: "There's been so many new experiences – there was the Premiership season, I've started with the international stuff and they've both made it a really good season for myself.

"In the internationals, I could have done with a bit more game time, but that's international rugby for you.

"I've come in and I've learned off different players. Playing with the best players in the Premiership and internationally, it's good to be in that environment, always."

Fellow tighthead Kieran Brookes was another to arrive at Franklin's Gardens at the start of the season and has since become the player Hill competes with for a place at club and international level.

But Hill believes the competition is driving both players to improve and can only be a good thing in the long term.

He said: "I think it's good for both of us that we're both driving each other as players and fighting for a position anywhere is going to keep you on edge.

"It's just how it is in rugby – if you've got someone trying to take your shirt constantly, it's going to make you play better."

Northampton's top four hopes were effectively ended two weeks ago when they were defeated at home 30-24 by Leicester Tigers to leave them seven points adrift of the play-offs with just two games left.

Last week, Sale Sharks went above them in the table after picking up two bonus points in their defeat at Bath, who Saints need to defeat at the Gardens this weekend if their place in next season's Champions Cup isn't to go up in smoke as well.

They are currently just two points ahead of seventh-placed Harlequins and Hill believes it was results earlier in the season that have left them in this position

He said: "Top six is the minimum for us. Not being in the top four is disappointing, but that comes from losses earlier on in the season.

"I think we put up a great performance against Leicester, but that's not where our downfall was; it was earlier in the season against the likes of Worcester away, Newcastle away and London Irish away. It's games like that that's shafted us, really."

Kessell puts Wandies into 'A' League final

WANDERERS

Tom Kessell scored the winning try as Northampton Wanderers reached the final of the Aviva 'A' League by defeating Saracens Storm 16-12 at Franklin's Gardens on Monday night.

The hosts always had an extra attacking threat to them and they will now face Exeter Braves at Sandy Park next Monday after they hammered Newcastle Falcons 48-10 in the other semi.

JJ Hanrahan and Ben Spencer were to exhange penalties before a tactic that has proven to be so effective was to earn Northampton their first try three minutes before half-time.

Yet again, it was Ben Nutley, who has played such a huge part in the Wanderers' run, who was to benefit as he crashed over in the left-hand corner off the back of a driving maul, with Hanrahan's conversion drifting wide.

It became a kicking duel after the break with Spencer landing two penalties either side of a Hanrahan effort to take the score to 11-9.

But the Saracens scrum-half was to put the visitors ahead for the first time with his fourth penalty after 59 minutes and it really was becoming a test of nerve.

Northampton's held as Hanrahan's decision to turn down a kick at goal in favour of going to the corner six minutes later paid off.

Following the inevitable driving maul, the ball was worked to the left and Kessell, who started in the Saints' most recent match against Leicester Tigers, was to slide over.

Hanrahan couldn't add the conversion, but it didn't matter as the Wanderers held out and they now have the chance to clinch their first 'A' League title since 2009.

Winner: Tom Kessell

Wilson sets his sights high after quarter final exit in World Championship

RISING STAR: Kyren Wilson in action at the Crucible

SNOOKER

Kyren Wilson's run in the World Snooker Championship came to an end on Wednesday morning but the man himself says there is absolutely no doubt he will be a world champion in the future.

The Kettering cueman had come through three qualifying matches and then two rounds at Sheffield's iconic Crucible Theatre to reach the quarter-finals but found world No.1 Mark Selby a step too far as he went down 13-8.

Selby led 10-6 heading into the final session and soon reeled off breaks of 92 and 78 to move within one frame of victory.

Wilson responded to narrow the deficit to 12-8 – including producing the highest break of the tournament, a majestic 143 in frame 20 – but Selby got over the line in the next.

Wilson's performances this week, and throughout the season, have had the snooker world taking notice and the 24-year-old is not lacking in self-belief after bursting on to the scene.

"I'll win this event in the future without a doubt. I believe in myself and this hasn't dampened my confidence," said Wilson.

"I'll go away from here, I'll have a bit of a rest with my family and friends and I'll be back working very, very hard to make sure next season is even better than this one. I didn't play great against Mark, it was a bit of struggle right from the start.

"I let him in too early and didn't put him under pressure soon enough. He's too good a player to let him get on top of you. In my head I always knew the quarter-finals would be the stumbling block with the qualifying matches and then the two matches here.

"I always knew if I got past this match I would have a chance of winning the event but unfortunately I just couldn't get my game together soon enough."

Wilson won his maiden ranking event in Shanghai earlier in the campaign and his exploits at the Crucible have ensured he will start next season ranked inside the world's top 16.

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Holmes is where the heart is for talisman

FOOTBALL

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Ricky Holmes has put at ease any Northampton Town fans who may have been worried about him being poached by a club at a higher level by saying 'I'll be here next season'.

The 28-year-old has played a major part in one of the Cobblers' most successful seasons ever, as they secured promotion from League Two as runaway champions.

Since missing most of the first four months of the campaign with a back injury, Holmes has been in sensational form from his free role in Town's attack with many of his 11 goals of the spectacular variety.

He was rewarded for his performances by being named by his peers in the PFA League Two Team of the Year and, by the sounds of it, the Shoe Army can look forward to him strutting his stuff in League One with Northampton next season.

When asked how Northampton would be able to keep hold of him, Holmes said: "I wouldn't worry. I've got a year left on my contract, so I'm sure I'll be here.

"There's always speculation – that happens with anyone and I'm sure they'll be looking at every one of our players with the season we've had.

"They know we've got a winning mentality, like everyone has said, and [with] the stuff we came through at the start of the season everyone knows we're going to fight for each other."

Holmes has been a firm favourite at Sixfields since signing from Portsmouth at the start of last year, with this season the first time in his Football League career he has been able to stand out in a successful team. He said: "It's a lot easier to stand out in a winning team because everyone has got their eye on you and it's not just been me, there's been 11, 17, 18 of us who have really stood out this season.

"It's not just me, it's the whole team, but it just seems to have clicked under the management here.

"They give me a bit of freedom and I don't have to stay out wide, which I don't like doing anyway.

"I want to get in the mix, I want to get involved. Wherever the ball is I want to travel over and get involved. I'm really enjoying my football and everything seems to have fallen in place here."

When it comes to Holmes' personal Goal of the Season competition, Northampton fans will have their own favourite, but there can only be one winner as far as the man himself is concerned.

"Technically the best goal is [Leyton] Orient, with the touch and volley, so I'd put that at number one," he said.

OUTSTANDING FORM: Ricky Holmes has often found the net spectacularly for the Cobblers

Saints aim for final flourish at Gardens

RUGBY

Northampton Saints will be looking to put on a show during the final home game of the season against Bath on Saturday, according to backs coach Alex King.

A strong end to what has been a tough campaign for Saints is a must as they are suddenly looking nervously over their shoulders after dropping down to sixth in the Premiership.

Harlequins are currently just two points behind them, meaning that a place in next season's European Champions Cup is far from secured.

Failing to do this would be the biggest disappointment of all for Northampton, who went into this campaign with what looked like realistic hopes for a second Premiership title in three years.

King said: "We've played some good rugby here at the Gardens – certainly in 2016, where we've had some good bonus-point wins.

"Hopefully it'll be a dry day, packed crowd with two teams that try to go out and play in the right way and we want to get the Gardens rocking in what is the last home game of the season.

"It's fine margins between those in the top four and those just outside it and there are two or three results where we know we should have won and didn't and we're paying for that now towards the end of the season."

Northampton's recent week off came at a good time as their squad went into the break beset with injuries and they are now hoping to be able to welcome some bodies back for Bath's visit.

Scrum-halves Lee Dickson and Kahn Fotuali'i are both back in training, but there's no set date for hooker Dylan Hartley, who is still recovering from the concussion he suffered in England's Grand Slam-clinching win in France last month.

King said: "Dylan is going through all the protocols as normal. Fingers crossed, we'll see him again before the end of the season.

"Whether it's this weekend, we don't know but hopefully we'll get him back on the pitch as soon as possible."

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Bev Halsey wrote *"Hi, I wanted to let you know about one of your drivers who went over and above last night. My daughter (18) was out in town with two friends. They had saved enough money through the evening for their taxi home. During the evening they bumped into a boy they knew from school with his mate. They asked if they could come in their taxi too, to split the cost. The Girls agreed as they knew one of the boys. The boys told the driver to go to kingsthorpe, down near Semilong and assured the girls they had the money for the diversion. When they got there the boys got out of the taxi and ran away, leaving the girls stranded with no extra money to pay to get home to moulton. Your driver was cross with the boys and obviously because he had witnessed what they had done was an absolute star. He knew the girls had no more money, but brought them home anyway. After the recent awful murder in Northampton, as a mother, I just wanted to say a massive thank you to him, repay him the money he was willing to forgo for the safety of my daughter and her friends, and make sure you knew what a great man he was to them.".*

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